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WEATHER SYNOPSIS

The barometer is falling on the Northern Coast and unsettled weather with some snow coming general on the Pacific Slope. Snow is reported in Alberta, and colder weather eastward to Manitoba.

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NAVAL DISARMAMENT PARLEY MUST BE HELD SOON

B. C. APPLE MEN LOSE 21 CENTS A BOX

Larger the Harvest Greater the Deficit, Committee of Legislature Is Advised

CENTRAL SALES AGENCY FAVORED

Serious Condition of Okanagan Business Disclosed —Freight Absorbs Much of Selling Price

SHALL a central sales agency for the handling of the fruit of the Okanagan and related areas of producing lands in this Province be established? This is the latest phase which the fruit industry presents to the agricultural committee of the Legislature. The suggestion is made that as a means of facing the troubles with which the industry has to contend, a commission might be named by the Government to go into the matter and see if some solution cannot be found along this line to assist in marketing troubles.

Mr. J. W. Berry, the chairman of the committee, offered the suggestion yesterday that a commission might not be able to gather any information that would have bearing on the situation that could not be obtained by the legislative committee of the House.

Mr. Mandonald suggested that the commission might gather information along the line of ascertaining what could be done with the surplus supply in the way of by-products. In this connection Mr. Manson alluded to apple champagne and various liquors. He said that his idea had been to have the Dominion Government send 10 fold in the providing of legislation so that a company might be formed to carry on this work.

The proposal for the central sales agency is advanced for the purpose of bringing about a means by which the growers may all bear a proportionate share in all phases of marketing, and avoid the situation that is now faced where the Growers' Association bears the heavy expenses of providing for the oversupply of fruit, and is obliged to

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Anglican Bishops Approve Proposed Date for Easter

LONDON, Feb. 15.—The convocation of the Upper House of Canterbury and York of the Church of England has unanimously voted that in the event of a proposed ecclesiastical enactment with the Easter Act of 1928, the first Sunday after the second Saturday in April should be adopted as Easter Sunday.

NORWAY RATIFIES

OSLO, Norway, Feb. 15.—The Norwegian Storthing today adopted a bill ratifying Norway's adhesion to the Kellogg Pact for the renunciation of war. Only one member, a Communist, voted against it.

From the Colonist Tower

Saturday, Feb. 16
47th Day, 1929

THE WEATHER

Victoria and Vicinity—Fresh to strong east and south winds, unsettled and mild with rain.

Sun Rises: 7.19 o'clock.
Sun Sets: 5.30 o'clock.

High Tide: 7.13 a.m., 8.8 ft.
Low Tide: 3.03 p.m., 3.5 ft.

Sport

Tommy Fielding will battle Pete Miller, Tacoma, junior lightweight at Sons of Canada hall. Plimley & Ritchie take lead in Commercial Hockey League playoffs.

One soccer and one Rugby game carded today.

Seattle Seamen turn tables on Portland.

Independent hoop games slated at YM.C.A. gymnasium tonight.

The News

Local and Provincial—

House committee told that British Columbia apple grower is losing Twenty-one cents a box on his crop.

Assent to five bills is delayed through misunderstanding.

Deputation urges Government to support ferry link between Salt Spring Island and Saanich Peninsula.

Printing of seeing orders-in-council limited to issuing of Opposition.

Mr. R. D. Williams, of Vancouver urges need of more trade agents in Orient.

Nickel Alloy Is Said To Be Wonder Metal

TORONTO, Feb. 15.—A special dispatch to The Star from Montreal the latter says news of the perfecting of new nickel alloy that will do away with all tooting and revolutionize the automobile industry, leaked out in the Canadian metropolis today. "The alloy is a combination of nickel, copper and zinc, whose tensile strength is quoted at 42,000 pounds," the dispatch says. "Already one of the best-known automobile manufacturing firms of the United States is casting its engine cylinders from this new metal instead of employing the old method of boring them.

"One of the chief automobile executives of the United States has given his opinion that it will revolutionize the whole construction of automobiles. All parts hitherto tooled can now be cast. Besides this, the new metal resists the corroding effect of sulphur and lead in ethyl gasoline."

Canadian Race Is Defined In Motion in House

OTTAWA, Feb. 15.—In the House of Commons tonight, E. D. R. Blast, Liberal, Springfield, moved a resolution to the effect that persons born in Canada shall be described as being of Canadian nationality in all legislation and official documents Mr. Blasett further proposed that persons of the white race, born in Canada in of three or more generations shall be described as being of the Canadian race in all legislation and official documents. After a considerable discussion the resolution was withdrawn. He submitted there are some four million persons entitled to be known as Canadians from a racial standpoint.

D. P. Kellmer, U.F.A., Alphabaska, declared it was high time the people of Canada recognized the existence of a Canadian race, for they were the only people in the world who did not do so. Hon. R. B. Bennett, Conservative leader, stated there was no such thing as "national" to be applied to people of the Dominion, and added "We are all British subjects. We are Canadian citizens as long as we continue within the Empire."

ARCTIC COLD CONTINUES TO RULE EUROPE

Thirty Villages Buried in Snow Near Zagreb, Jugoslavia — Impossible to Send In Food Required

WILD GAME ENTERS GERMAN CAPITAL

ZAGREB, Jugoslavia, Feb. 15.—Thirty villages near here have been buried by an enormous snowfall. Because of the complete stoppage of transportation the authorities have been unable to send food, of which the villages are believed in serious need. Plus grapes were found dead from cold in their nests near the village of Vrest.

BERLIN, Feb. 15.—Hopes raised by a slight rise in temperature yesterday were dashed today by the approach of a new cold wave from the east. All Germany was covered with snow and the temperature was only nine degrees above zero Fahrenheit in Berlin.

All schools in the capital have been closed. A run of housework has set in on coal and potato dealers, whose sandy stocks quickly were sold out today. The prices on all provisions rose. Deer and small animals have been driven into the suburbs.

LONDON WATER SUPPLY

LONDON, Feb. 15.—The British Isles have been promised warmer weather, but that was small comfort today to householders forced to boil water in buckets because of frozen pipes in dwellings. Weather experts forecast a very gradual rise in temperature after the week-end but with possible heavier snowstorms before the thaw. Very few plumbers are built to cope with such exceptional severity of Winter as has been felt. The pipes are frequently in expansed positions. Thousands of temporary standpipes have been erected in the streets and connected with the watermains to enable householders to obtain water in buckets. Heavy snowfalls were recorded today in many parts of the country.

FIJI ISLAND JUDGE TO VISIT VICTORIA

MONTREAL, Feb. 15.—His Honor Sir Alfred Young, judge of the High Court of Fiji, will arrive in Vancouver March 1 on board the S. Niagara. After visiting in Victoria, Sir Alfred will continue his journey to England.

Race Issue Is Shown in South Africa

ABOVE are shown, left to right: General Smuts, leader of the opposition party in South Africa; the Earl of Athlone, Governor-General; and General Hertzog, Premier. The next general election in South Africa is likely to be a very bitter one if the Premier persists on going to the country with his Government on the "native" question. He has introduced a bill under which the "natives," which in South Africa means the blacks, shall lose the franchise in ordinary communeiments but will be allowed to vote for by themselves for separate representation, much as they might do, if they see fit, under a system of proportional representation. They will not, however, be given representation on the same basis as to population as the whites, but will elect only a few members to Parliament. The avowed purpose of the measure is to secure permanent control of Parliament by the whites in a country where they are greatly outnumbered by the blacks.

Government Challenged to Allow Followers to Vote As They Think on Issue

OTTAWA, Feb. 15.—The great interest taken in the situation by inspecting technical education in the various provinces was indicated in the House this afternoon, when a debate on this subject flared up and spread over all the groups which are represented in the House of the Speaker. The bill which started the discussion was in itself a nonconentious one, but members, particularly from the Conservative and Labor groups, seized the opportunity to condemn the intention of the Government, to discontinue grants from the Dominion treasury in aid of technical instruction.

Ten years ago, after a royal commission had investigated the question of providing the youth of Canada with opportunities for technical education, the Dominion Government decided to grant $10,000,000 with which to start the system. This grant was to be spread over a period of ten years and was distributed among the various provinces, when they fulfilled certain conditions. Ten years will be up on March 31.

The Dominion Government has refused to make any further grants when the $10,000,000 is exhausted. The Premier today explained that while he and his colleagues were certain on the importance of this class of education they considered the Dominion had done its part and that it was really a provincial responsibility.

Hon. H. H. Stevens, Conservative, led the attack against dropping the grant.

Hon. R. B. Bennett wound up the debate by asking the Government to let Parliament vote on whether the Dominion grant to technical education be continued. "Take away the whips and let the members of Parliament vote on this question, not as party followers, but as Canadians. Everyone is say that not more than ten members in this House would vote against the grants.

Hon. Peter Heenan, Minister of Labor, announced that there was still due the provinces out of the original grant the following:

Prince Edward Island, $133,000; Nova Scotia, $381,000; New Brunswick, $119,000; Quebec, $491,000; Ontario, none; Manitoba, $537,000; Saskatchewan, $726,000; Alberta, $73,000; British Columbia, $153,000.

ASSENT TO FIVE BILLS DELAYED THROUGH ERROR

P.G.E. Measure and Expected Arrival of North Vancouver Delegation Cause of Mix-Up

TROUBLE STARTED BY MR. PATTULLO

Assent to five bills was to have been given by His Honor Lieutenant-Governor Robert Randolph Bruce at yesterday afternoon's session of the Legislature but due to the intervention of Mr T D Pattullo this ceremony was cancelled at the last moment because the Leader of the Opposition pointed out to the House that the Government was to have received a deputation from North Vancouver City and North Vancouver Municipality before the bill ratifying the financing between the P.G.E and West Vancouver passed the third reading.

This bill is for the purpose of ratifying an agreement between the Government will pay $100,000 to West Vancouver in order to be released of any obligation in connection with the 1918 agreement which declared that eighteen trips a day should be given over the North Shore line between Whyte-cliff and North Vancouver.

Shortly after the House rose and the bill had been stopped at the very stage where it was to be given assent, that the deputation expected to arrive upon the Government was not one that had anything to do with the bill but was one dealing with road matters. This was accepted by Premier Tolmie and Hon. H. Pooley from Premier Tolmie.

MR. PATTULLO OBJECTS

Before the bill proceeded with its regular business, Mr. T. D. Pattullo rose on a point of privilege. He said that assent was to be given to a bill ratifying an agreement between the P.G.E and West Vancouver, and that he had asked the House to withhold the third reading of the bill some time ago. Since then he had been advised that a delegation from the city of North Vancouver and the municipality of North Vancouver had arranged to

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Kindness Is Not Repaid By Criminal

VANCOUVER, Feb. 15.—Pierre Paris, maker of shoes, has a soft heart. When a man told him a hard luck story a couple of weeks ago he gave him a pair of working shoes from the "left-over" stock of his store at 51 Hastings Street.

A week later the Paris store was entered and burglars took loggers boots valued at $40 shortly after the robbery Thomas Simpson, Clarence Power and Edward McWhirter were arrested and today they were convicted of breaking and entering.

McWhirter, the shoemaker testified, was the man to whom he had given the working shoes.

Lily Langtry to Be Buried in Jersey

MONTE CARLO, Feb. 15.—The body of Lily Langtry, noted actress who died several days ago, will be sent to her birthplace on the Isle of Jersey tomorrow. The funeral will be held there.

MANITOBA MINISTER IS 'IN BAD'

Member of Bracken Cabinet Admits Acquiring Shares of Power Company While Big Deal Pending

CORPORATION GOT BIG WATER RIGHTS

WINNIPEG, Feb. 15.—The fact that a cabinet minister purchased stock on margin in the Winnipeg Electric Co. did not interfere with his duties in making the best bargain possible for the Province of Manitoba, it was asserted this afternoon by Hon. W. R. Clubb before the Royal Commission investigating corruption charges preferred against the Bracken Government in the leasing of the Seven Sisters Falls power site on the Winnipeg River.

Mr. Clubb admitted under examination by Colonel Arthur Sullivan, counsel for Lieut.-Colonel F. G. Taylor, leader of the Conservative party in Manitoba, whose charges were being probed by the commission, that he purchased 250 shares of Winnipeg Electric Company stock a few days before the agreement was reached between the Government and the private power concern.

While the agreement had not been officially made Mr. Clubb said that "It was practically certain that the lease would go to the Winnipeg Electric Company."

The Minister of Public Works underwent examination by Colonel Sullivan during the entire day's sitting.

MEMORY UNCERTAIN

Concerning his marginal holdings in the Winnipeg Electric Company Mr. Clubb was not certain of the exact dates when the stocks were purchased. He thought the first 100

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DAIRYMEN TO MEET IN WINNIPEG NEXT

VANCOUVER, Feb. 15.—The 1930 convention of the Western Canada Dairy Association will be held in Winnipeg it was decided at the closing session of the annual meeting here this afternoon.

In Sunday's Colonist

WHALE HUNTING

How the leviathans of the deep are captured and subsequently dealt with at the plants on the West Coast of Vancouver Island. By A. D. Kean, with illustrations.

THE THREE MUSKETEERS

Ronald Tuckwell tells a tense story of struggle for the Allan Cup on the eve of the departure for the front of the 61st Battalion, Winnipeg, and the climax of the game—and of the Allan Cup—the three musketeers and their buddies returned from France.

SACRIFICE

The unromantic narrative of what happened to an average American who answered the call to war and who, blinded by gas, fell a victim to a "hit and run" motor driver after the Armistice.

THE BIG NOISE

How Mrs. Chester Turle's flowers so irritating to the temperamental musician as representing the "big noise" of the club proved the gift of gifts to "the couple" who had looked after the sickly artist and his wife. By Effie Parker Butler

PRESENT WORLD NAVY TREATY IS DUE FOR REVISION IN 1931

Preparations Must Be Made for Renewal or Modification if Washington Pact Limiting Capital Ships Is Not to Collapse—Preliminary Conference May Be Held

British Government Plans New Approach to Problem

Full Cabinet Council Held in London Is Believed to Have Been Called to Consider Question —British Ambassador to United States Says New Limitations Desired

LONDON, Feb. 15.—A full cabinet council was held in Premier Baldwin's room in the House of Commons today with the Premier in the chair. It was believed tonight that this may lead to an early statement in the Commons by Sir Austen Chamberlain, the Foreign Secretary, regarding Britain's plans for a new approach to the disarmament problem.

It is known that Sir Austen has been devoting most of his time to the study of this question, and while actual negotiations may not progress rapidly during the next few weeks, the desire of the British Government is to lend all its influence to the creation as quickly as possible, of a new atmosphere of confidence and zeal will for dealing with the present difficulty.

The British public in general has been without any information on the situation, although today the newspapers carried the news from Washington of the announcement of Sir Esme Howard, the British Ambassador, that Great Britain soon would initiate efforts to bring about further limitation of naval armament, the most powerful naval powers of the world.

AT WASHINGTON

WASHINGTON, Feb. 15.—Great Britain's intention to take the initiative soon in proposing further naval armament limitations was announced here today by Sir Esme Howard, British Ambassador to Washington.

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B.C. GROWERS EXPORT WOOL ACROSS LINE

Rapid Growth of Province's Sheep Industry Is Recorded at Vancouver Meeting of Associated Breeders

INCREASE IN YEAR EQUALS 1921 TOTAL

VANCOUVER, Feb. 15.—Some interesting details showing the wonderful growth of the sheep industry in British Columbia, were contained in the report presented by President William Harrison at the annual meeting of the British Columbia Wool Growers' Association, which was held here today.

From a very humble start in 1917, when the first co-operative shipment of wool was made, the British Columbia Wool Growers, the successors of the Interior Wool Growers as the pioneer organization was called, had steadily expanded, last year's shipments had amounted to twelve carloads. British Columbia's sheep population during the past year had shown an increase from 128,000 to 175,000, a gain of about 46,000, which about equaled the total sheep population in the province eight years ago.

The past season, the report stated, was favorable to both wool and mutton growers. Prices received by the packers made heavy importations from across the line impossible, the range lambs were ready and thus depressed the price. A request for enforcement of the anti-dumping law had thus very properly been made.

EXPORTING WOOL

Reports from wool centres were encouraging. A considerable quantity of the 1928 clip had been contracted for in the United States at an advance of 5 to 7½ per cent over last year.

The proposed three-year contract with the Canadian Wool Growers' Limited, was recommended for acceptance as tending to stabilize the market and permit the making of contracts for wool ahead.

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ORDERS TO BE UNDER CONTROL

Access Thereto Is Limited to Leader of the Opposition and Minister of Courtesy

27 TO 11 VOTE ON AMENDMENT

The Legislature, by a vote of twenty-eight to eleven last Thursday afternoon's session, endorsed Hon. J Hinchliffe's amendment to the resolution submitted by Mr T D Pattullo, that all orders-in-council be open for inspection by the public.

The passage of the amendment occasioned a two-hour debate on the final day of the discussion, and as passed, commended the continuance action of the Government in allowing the Leader of the Opposition to have access to orders-in-council, and recognized that it is desirable and unrestricted right of the Leader of the Opposition—in Council to deal with orders-in-council as he may deem fit."

The resolution o the Leader of the Opposition, however, in the House on several occasions for disclosure of the contents of the legislature, when it was early placed on the order paper, was considered by members of the Government controlled Opposition, as being intended only to gain political capital, that there was no principle involved, and that the practice that had prevailed in the past, and was followed elsewhere under the British Constitution was the proper and safe one to continue. This practice was to give the Leader of the Opposition access to the orders-in-council.

Hon. W. A. McKenzie declared the matter was political because Mr Pattullo so admitted when he called upon the press to give the fullest publicity to the matter.

Mr H D Twigg for the Government aide, also attacked the Opposition as inconsistent, in as much as

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FERRY LINK TO SAANICH IS SOUGHT

Deputation Asks Government to Aid Proposed Connection From Salt Spring to North Saanich

SALT SPRING ID. WOULD DEVELOP

The question of the establishment of a ferry between Fulford Harbor on Salt Spring Island, to a point on Saanich Peninsula, was brought to the attention of the members of the Government yesterday. The advantages of such a means of communication was urged upon the administration, not only from the standpoint of the advantage which such a ferry would lend to the Island of Salt Spring, but also with the idea of affording business opportunities for the city of Victoria, and the residents of Vancouver Island.

It was pointed out that there are 1,200 people on Salt Spring Island, and that 256 automobiles exist there. The island was naturally tributary to the city of Victoria, and the residents of the Island wished to keep up close connections with the capital city.

Affording of better transportation facilities for the island was pointed out to the members of the Government as a measure which the district was to proper and grow as the residents would have it so to do.

The Government heard the representations, and promised to give immediate attention to the requests. The delegation was introduced by Col. C. W. Peck, V.C., the member for The Islands, who backed up the representations made. They were included in the delegation Mr. Lionel C. Chapin, president of the Salt Spring Island Development Association, Major P. C. Turner, D.S.O., Mr Arthur Eaton and Mr. W. J. L. Hamilton.

KING IS GAINING DESPITE WEATHER

ALDWICK, Eng., Feb. 15.—Lord Dawson of Penn visited Craigweil House today, and late this afternoon the first medical bulletin in several days was issued on the condition of the King. It read: "In spite of the inclement weather the King continues to make slow progress, and since his departure from London has increased in weight.

(Signed) "Sir Stanley Hewett,
"Lord Dawson of Penn."

Cost of Island Road Projects Is Estimated

Some figures on the estimated cost of the road programme outlined at the conference of the associated Boards of Trade of Vancouver Island, held at Nanaimo February 8, have been issued. Four of the seven planks agreed upon as the road objectives for Vancouver Island development contemplate new road construction. The Sproat Lake-Tofino road is set at $200,000, the Campbell River-Menzies Bay road at $80,000, the Ocean Highway from Jordan River westerly at $462,000 and the Cumberland-Alberni road at $300,000.

CANADA NEEDS TRADE AGENTS IN THE ORIENT

But Three Commissioners to Promote Business With 800,000,000 People, Says Visitor Here

MR. R. D. WILLIAMS SEES FAST MARKET

"Our Government at Ottawa is sending ambassadors and ministers to the countries of the Far East because there is need there is a greater number of trade representatives." Mr R. D. Williams, of Vancouver, who has recently returned from a tour of the Orient, told the members of the Vancouver Board of Trade and the Victoria Chamber of Commerce at their co-operation meeting yesterday in the Chamber headquarters here.

Mr Williams said there were 800,000,000 people in China, 70,000,000 in Japan and 330,000,000 in India, a total of over 1,000,000,000 people. And Canada had only three trade commissioners established to promote trade of this Dominion with the nations of the Far East.

"Our supreme need is not ambassadorial representations in these countries, but it is trade representatives," he stated.

Mr Williams described himself as an apostle of more intensified selling methods between British Columbia and the Far East.

TRADE IS THERE

"The trade is there. It is up to us to go after it," Mr Williams asserted.

Mr Williams said he would not speak of the political situation in China, for "the Chinese himself does not know in what direction he is headed, so it is impossible for a foreigner to give a true opinion on Chinese politics."

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Jailers Offered $75,000 Bribe To Let Man Escape

SPOKANE, Feb. 15.—Archie P. Mioch, convicted of murdering Mrs Catherine Clark, who this afternoon swore in court that he was a gangster, has offered his jailers $75,000 if they would permit him to escape, sensational affidavits signed by the jailers disclosed tonight.

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"Dick is all right if you know how to take him."
"I hate these people who have to be labeled like a bottle of medicine."

Sanford Clark Sent To State Reformatory

RIVERSIDE, Cal., Feb. 15.—Sanford Clark, fifteen-year-old nephew of Gordon Northcott, whose tales of torture and murder of boys on a ranch brought a death sentence to his uncle, today was ordered to a state reformatory as an "incorrigible."

MR. T. BLAKESLEY DIES

LONDON, Feb. 15 — Thomas Blakesley, noted scientist and archaeologist, died today, aged eighty-one years. He was responsible for greatly improving the methods of defining and measuring the properties of optical instruments. In electricity he worked on alternating currents and allied problems.

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Choice Mild Cheese, lb. 29¢	Prime Matured Ontario Cheese, per lb. 35¢
Mild Sugar-Cured Breakfast Bacon, piece cut, lb. 31¢	Mild Sugar-Cured Breakfast Bacon, sliced, per lb 35¢
Finest Ayrshire Roll, sliced, per lb. 35¢	Fletcher's Fancy Side Bacon, piece cut, per lb. 37¢; Sliced, per lb 45¢
Smoked Picnic Hams, lb. 22¢	Smoked Cottage Roll, lb. 31¢
Sweet Pickled Picnics, lb. 19¢	Sweet Pickled Picnic Hams, per lb. 20¢
Fresh Beef Dripping, lb. 15¢; 2 lbs. for 25¢	Swift's Premium Bologna, sliced per lb. 30¢
Finest Peanut Butter, in your own container, per lb. 15¢	Brookfield Cheese, half pound packets 20¢
Fletcher's Peameal Back Bacon, piece cut, per lb. 35¢	Fletcher's Peameal Back Bacon, sliced, per lb. 40¢

Your Dollars Have More Cents in Our Groceteria

Climax Jam, 4-lb. cans 39¢	Orange Marmalade, 4-lb. cans, each 41¢
Pure Strawberry Jam, 4-lb. cans each 59¢	Old City Pure Maple Syrup, 16-ounce bottles 34¢
Dutch Tea Rusks, regular 20c, Special, at 18¢; 2 for 35¢	Maple Ridge Strawberries, per can 23¢
Horne's Lemon Extract, in glass jugs 25¢	Black Buck Sauce, English make, per bottle 10¢
Choice Peas, 2 cans for 25¢	Quaker Corn, per can 14¢
Royal City Spinach, large can for 21¢	Libby's Asparagus, mammoth tips 41¢
Nabob Sliced Peaches, 2's, per can 19¢	Holsum Apricots, 2's, can 19¢
Rice, Tapioca, Sago, 4 lbs. 25¢	Pot Barley, 4 lbs. for 25¢
Rice Flour, 3 lbs for 25¢	Icing Sugar, 3 lbs. for 25¢
Nabob Jellies, 4 packets for 24¢	Lyle's Golden Syrup, 2's, per tin 25¢
Maraschino Cherries, 16-ounce bottles 52¢	Cut Macaroni, 3 lbs. for 25¢
Witch Hazel Toilet Soap, 4 for 21¢	Klondike Soap, extra large bars, each 25¢

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Fine Table Potatoes, 12 lbs. for 25¢; Per sack $1.85	Imperial Valley Grapefruit, 6 for 25¢
We Have Some Wonderful Swede Turnips, 6 lbs. for 25¢	The Famous Little Joe Sweet Potatoes, 2 lbs. for 25¢
Cauliflower, 20¢, 25¢, 35¢	Chocolate Dates, per lb. 20¢

Another Big Shipment of Oranges Just Arrived At Very Special Prices

A small one, very juicy and very fine skin. 2 dozen for 23c
A medium size Orange. Regular 30c per dozen. Special, per dozen, 19¢ 3 Dozen for 50c
A nice large Orange. Regular 40c per dozen. Special, per dozen 29c
2 Dozen for .... 80¢

Newtown Pippins or Rome Beauty Apples, 5 lbs. 25¢	Extra Choice New Dates, 3 lbs. for 25¢
Fresh Shipment Fruit Cookies, per lb. 20¢; 3 lbs. for 55¢	Pure Block Honey, per lb. 18¢; 2 lbs for 35¢
	Crystallized Ginger, per lb 25¢
	Fine Natural Smyrna Figs, 2 lbs. for 25¢

U.S. President-Elect and His Family at Home

The Above Picture, Taken at Palo Alto, California Home of the Next President of the United States, Shows, Left to Right: Herbert Hoover, Jr., Herbert Hoover III, Mrs. Herbert Hoover, Jr., Mrs. Hoover, Sr., Peggy Ann Hoover, President-Elect Hoover, and Allan Hoover.

THREE MILLION DOLLAR ESTATE PROBATED HERE

Hon. W. C. Nichol, Ex-Lieut.-Governor, Leaves $1,890,448 in Securities and $850,095 in Stocks

$77,500 TOTAL OF REAL ESTATE

Hon Walter Cameron Nichol, former Lieutenant-Governor of British Columbia, who died in Victoria on December 19, 1928, left an estate of $2,840,542.30, the probate of his will being granted by Mr. Justice D. A McDonald in Supreme Court Chambers here yesterday.

Under the terms of Mr Nichol's will, which is dated December 31, 1923, the income from the estate is to be divided equally between members of the family, and the residue passes to heirs of the children. An annuity of $2,400 per year for life is bequeathed to Mr Nichol's sister.

Securities for money in the estate total $1,890,448, and include among others $1,193,724 in Dominion of Canada bonds, $278,134 cash in banks, $137,695.80 in life insurance, and $97,000 in Canadian Pacific Railway notes certificates. Of the cash in banks, $183,449 is the balance on deposit in the Bank of Montreal, $67,738 is the balance on deposit in the Canadian Bank of Commerce in Seattle, and the remainder is on deposit in Victoria and Vancouver banks.

The estate comprises a total of $850,095 in bank and other stocks, which include among others $247,000 of preferred stock and $338,000 of common stock in the Southam Publishing Company; and $94,000 of preferred stock and $28,625 capital stock in the Canadian Foreign Investment Corporation.

Real estate totals $77,500, and consists of Mr Nichol's country home, "Miraloma," near Sidney, $37,500; and his residence at 1759 Rockland Avenue, Victoria, $40,000.

The application for probate of Mr. Nichol's will was made by the Royal Trust Company, the executors, through Mr. James H. Lawson, a Vancouver solicitor, and Mr Carew Martin, of White & Martin, Victoria agents for Mr Lawson.

ORDERS TO BE UNDER CONTROL

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the late Government had time and time again refused the information contained in orders-in-council, especially relating to the expenditures under the Liquor Control Act for the secret service fund.

Mr. Twigg pointed out that he had been refused applications pertaining to changes in the statutes, for instance Workmen's Compensation, Mothers' Pension, and other such legislation. "In 1924 I made this request and repeated it in 1925, 1926 and 1927. On each occasion I was refused the right, even though I was only asking to know what changes had been made in the statutes or laws of the country," he explained.

Half the people of the Province did not understand what orders-in-council were, said Hon. W A. McKenzie, and did not care about them. He was satisfied that outside of the Leader of the Opposition there were not two members of the Opposition who ever asked to see the orders.

These orders-in-council got to the public in various forms in any event. Some of them were known through official notices, and nearly all went through the press.

A division was called by the Leader of the Opposition and on being taken the vote stood twenty-seven to eleven in favor of the amendment of Mr Hinchliffe, and against the original resolution of Mr Pattullo. The vote was a straight party one, with Mr T Uphill voting against the Government.

PROF. BECKETT DIES

VANCOUVER, Feb. 15.—Professor Samuel E. Beckett, M.A., of the University of British Columbia, died suddenly here late today. He was a graduate of Queens University, Kingston, Ont., in theology, economics and sociology. He had been connected with the University of British Columbia for many years.

MR. M. E. STONE DIES

NEW YORK, Feb. 15.—Melville E Stone, counsellor of the Associated Press and for many years its general manager, died tonight at his home here

PRESENT NAVY TREATY IS DUE FOR REVISION

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The recent enactment of the cruiser construction bill by Congress paved the way, the ambassador said today, in response to questions, for the fruitful consideration of the problem of naval disarmament, which up to now the British Government had not cared to broach for fear of appearing to interfere in the passage of the naval measure.

TREATY REVISION IN 1931

In Washington circles it was thought probable that the proposal of the British Government would be for a preliminary conference in preparation for the major parley in 1931, when the 1921 Washington agreement as to capital ships will come up for review. Sir Esme said that he had no information as to what form the move for further naval limitations might take, but added that any new parleys would proceed on the assumption that the recently authorized sixteen warships construction programme would be carried out.

"There would seem to be every reason to believe, that now that the fifteen cruiser bill has become law," Sir Esme declared, "a further effort before long will be made to reach an agreement between the principal naval powers of the world for the limitation of naval armaments." He added that British elections this Summer may postpone any discussion of the problem for some months.

B.C. GROWERS EXPORT WOOL ACROSS LINE

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The activities of the association during 1928 were briefly reviewed, such as the Kamloops sheep sale and the work of the sheep promotion committee and of local breeders' associations.

OFFICERS ELECTED

The election of officers resulted in the return of the old board as follows: Vancouver and Gulf Islands, C. E. Whitney-Griffiths, Metchosin; G. H. Hadwen, Duncan; George Dalziel, Denman Island. Lower Mainland: A. D. Patterson, Ladner; W. H. Hicks, Agassiz; W. H. Hawkshaw, Chilliwack. Nicola, W. Thompson, Merritt. Cariboo, J. M. Worston, Kamloops North, L. Hoover, Black Pines. Kamloops South and West, R. Heron, Cherry Creek. Kamloops East, William Harrison, Pritchard. Okanagan North, H. E. Waby, Enderby. Okanagan South, W. A. Cameron, Kelowna. Kootenay, H. A. French, Cranbrook.

At a meeting of the directors, W. Harrison was re-elected president and W. H. Hawkshaw, vice-president.

George C. Hay, British Columbia director of the Canadian Wool Growers, Limited, presented his annual report, and was unanimously re-elected representative from British Columbia.

The change in name of the association to the British Columbia Sheep Breeders' Association was agreed to as being more in keeping with the work of the association.

MANITOBA MINISTER IS 'IN BAD'

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shares were purchased March 12, 1928, and the remainder on March 20. Under what name it was bought he also was not certain, but thought that, as J. T. Haig had undertaken to secure the stock for him, it would be in Mr. Haig's name.

Asked how Mr. Haig should be in a position to buy stock for him, Mr. Clubb replied that he had been asked by Mr. Haig if the Government had received a report on the investigation by Dr. T. H. Hogg, hydraulic engineer of the Ontario Hydro Commission, on the feasibility of the province developing the Seven Sisters Falls site. An interim report had been received, Mr. Clubb told him. "Is the province going to develop the Seven Sisters site?" Mr. Haig asked. Mr. Clubb said he did not think so. "Then this is a good time to buy Winnipeg Electric stock," Mr. Haig said. "I'm going to buy and I think you should, too." Mr. Clubb said he advised Mr. Haig to buy 100 shares for him.

The Minister of Public Works said he had not told Premier Bracken of his stock purchase.

CANADA NEEDS TRADE AGENTS IN THE ORIENT

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Canadian flour, he said, had developed a large trade in China, but it was sold by either American or Japanese firms. In many cases it was sold as "American flour." The Chinese feel that anything that comes from this Coast is American, and yet Canada is doing nothing to offset this impression among the Chinese.

Propaganda detrimental to Canadian goods was being carried on all the time, and yet nothing was being done to check its harmful results to this country.

NOT RIGHT MEN

The speaker said that British trade and merchants were not sending the right men into the Orient to handle British trade. The Americans send to China trained business men who always want to negotiate a good business deal, while Great Britain sends out men who for years were in the diplomatic service and who were chiefly concerned with scoring diplomatic victories.

"Where British trade suffers, Canadian trade also suffers. We should have more trade representatives there to protect our trade with the Far East," he contended.

Mr Williams remarked that there existed in Japan a mentality favorable to trade with Canada, and the Japanese preferred to do business with Canadian firms, if they could give service. Canadian lumber commanded a premium in Japan, and Canadian flour was purchased in large quantities. Canadian trade with Japan has grown by leaps and bounds, said the speaker, instancing the case of the lumber, 220,000,000 feet of which was sold to Japan in 1928 as compared to only 60,000,000 in 1925.

NO DIRECT MEANS

"In spite of this great trade which is constantly growing, we have no direct means of doing business except through American or Japanese banks," he said.

In concluding, Mr Williams said: "There is no market in the world which offers such opportunities to Canadian business men as the Far East. We only need a little assistance from our Government in setting up the machinery to foster it."

Mr. K. W. Johnson, salt commissioner in Shanghai, spoke briefly on the enormous possibilities of trade between China and Canada.

"Instead of rice, the Chinese are now turning to flour. There are now over 400,000,000 people in China, and if each one of these could be reached with one bag of flour a year, Canada and the United States would be unable to supply the demand.

The speaker said the Chinese knew practically nothing about Canada, and that Canada was doing extraordinarily little in pushing trade in China.

"GO AFTER BUSINESS"

The huge amounts of money spent on Chinese bandits during the last ten years would in the future go toward the building up of the country, he said. The commodities for this work would have to come from abroad, and would mean increased trade.

Besides trade commissioners, direct representation of business men or chambers of commerce was necessary, he declared.

Need of replacements on the Chinese railways would be a big factor in developing foreign trade, he added.

"This is what I want to let you know. Get busy and get your representatives there and go after the business," he said in conclusion.

A vote of thanks to the Vancouver speakers was tendered by President P. B. Fowler, of the Victoria chamber.

ASSENT TO FIVE BILLS DELAYED THROUGH ERROR

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a meeting with the Government on February 18. The Premier, he said, had signified that he would be pleased to meet the delegation.

In view of this he asked that assent to the bill be withheld until the delegation had been given a hearing. The agreement, Mr. Pattullo stated, affected not only West Vancouver, but all parts of the province. It was a big issue and should not be hurried.

Attorney-General R. H. Pooley said this was the first he had heard of such a meeting with the delegation named in connection with the bill, and he was a member of the Executive Council. "Only yesterday the Premier asked me to proceed with the bill without delay as it was costing the province fifty dollars a day for so long as the agreement was not ratified."

CORRESPONDENCE READ

It was then that Mr. Pattullo read extracts from a copy of a letter he had from the city clerk of North Vancouver. He also quoted telegrams received by the Premier and the replies received by the municipalities arranging for the meeting to take place next Monday.

Hon. S. L. Howe, Provincial Secretary, left the House to check the matter up and on his return the Attorney-General said that some error must have occurred and that he was quite prepared to acquiesce in the suggestion made by Mr. Pattullo. He recommended that inasmuch as it was not the desire of the House to have the Lieutenant-Governor make unnecessary visits to the Legislature to give his assent that His Honor be notified that his presence would not be required that afternoon. This was endorsed by the House.

It was not until after the House had risen and the Attorney-General had been able to get in touch with the Premier that it was found the delegation that was to meet the Government on Monday was to take up highway matters and had nothing to do with the bill.

Other bills held up by this action were: The bill to amend the Constitution Act; the bill to amend the Ferries Act; the bill to indemnify and relieve Captain James Fitzsimmons, and the bill to amend the Civil Servants Act.

A traveler stopped to change tires in a desolate region in the Far West. "I suppose," he remarked to a native onlooker, "that even in these parts of the country the bare necessities of life have risen tremendously in price."

"You're right, stranger," replied the native gloomily, "and it ain't worth drinking when you get it."

Going into a chemist's shop one day an Aberdeen man said he wanted a small empty bottle.

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The gale has been blowing for five days, Greenlie reported. He told Whitaker that the ships lying at the base were battered by the waves until he was almost rolled out of his bunk.

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GANG KILLING NO NEW THING FOR CHICAGO

Developments Described as "No Different From Those Following Scores of Other Gang Killings"

MAJOR SILLOWAY SUSPECTS POLICE

CHICAGO, Feb. 15.—Theories—the usual second-day grist of a hundred other gang killings—were all investigators had tonight, after unceasing efforts to find the gunmen who yesterday strapped and summarily executed seven members of the powerful North Side Moran gang.

One theory, so sensational that it created a furore to official circles, was that hijacking Chicago policemen, disgruntled at refusal of the Moran gang to pay them protection money, had themselves invaded the Moran stronghold, lined up the seven men found there and shot them to death in retaliation and to avoid exposure. This theory was advanced by Major Fred D. Silloway, assistant prohibition administrator, who made clear that it was only a theory, although he said he was in possession of facts supporting it.

Commissioner of Police Russell said: "No matter who did it, I am out to get them and clean this case up." He characterized Major Silloway's theory as "all rot."

OTHER THEORIES

Another theory was advanced by John A. Swanson, state attorney. He expressed the belief that the idea of having enemies of the Moran gang garbed as policemen invade their stronghold was obtained by the slayers from a fiction story appearing recently in a national weekly, and that Detroit gangsters, members of the Purple Mob, had been imported to do the actual killing.

Lesser officials had their own theories, which differed widely, both as to the actual killers and the cause of the wholesale slaughter. The second-day situation following a gang murder to Chicago was essentially no different tonight from the second day developments of scores of other gang killings—except that there were seven murders to solve instead of one or two.

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Influenza Deaths Largely Increase All Over England

LONDON, Feb. 15.—Another big increase to deaths from influenza in England was shown to official returns for the past week, made public last night. During the week there were 967 deaths to 107 large towns, as compared with 652 and 321 for the preceding two weeks.

London alone recorded 231 fatalities from the disease, as compared with 198 during the preceding week. The total of deaths from influenza since January 1 now is 2,340, as against 714 for the same period of 1928.

Deaths in the country from bronchitis and broncho-pneumonia are more than double those of last year. Since February 1 there have been 1,981, as compared with 873 for the same period in 1928.

B.C. APPLE MEN LOSE 21 CENTS A BOX

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sell a very much larger part of the crop in the unremunerative market than is the case of the independents.

TO CONFER FURTHER

Mr. R. H. Macdonald, vice-president of the Growers' Association, presented the case in large measure before the committee. It was decided to have him go into collaboration with Mr. P. M. Black and others and present a memorandum setting out the main features of the case with respect to the situation, so that the committee might have exact material.

"The man without a mortgage on his orchard in the Okanagan is a curiosity," said Mr. Macdonald.

In his own case he said that he had sixty acres of orchard, for which he paid $40,000. That orchard was not worth ten cents today as a producing proposition.

The members of the committee felt that the situation was indeed a serious one to be faced.

Mr. A. M. Manson, former Attorney-General, wanted to know if Mr Macdonald thought that a mistake had been made in the establishment of the fruit producing industry in the Okanagan.

"I do not think so," came the reply from Mr. Macdonald. "There is no place in Canada that should be so favorably situated as British Columbia is with respect to the handling of the fruit situation," he added.

ACCESS TO MARKETS

Mr. Macdonald went on to point out that this Province should have access to the Prairie markets on conditions that Nova Scotia and Ontario and other Eastern fruit provinces should not be able to compete with, as far as freight rates were concerned if the freight rates were made fairly.

Ontario, however, under the rates that were in effect was able to place potatoes in Calgary cheaper than the Okanagan could do it.

The chairman, Mr Berry, said that he had often thought over the situation along the line that Mr. Manson suggested.

He gave an instance of the land in Surrey. He said that one could not take the logged-off land there and elsewhere in the Province, and clear it up and turn it into dairy farm land.

The fruit growers of the Okanagan, he felt, were justified in seeking a return for the investments made by them.

"I feel," said Mr Berry, "that the fruit men have to be helped out. The Government has an investment there as well as the fruitgrowers. It is essential that the industry must be carried on."

FAVORS PRIVATE ENTERPRISE

Mr. Berry went on to say that he had not the greatest faith in the Government coming into such business. It was better, if possible, for the work to be carried on by private investors, so that the work could be made to pay a profit. In this connection he cited the milk situation in the Fraser Valley, which was in a somewhat similar situation.

Mr Manson said that he did not ask the question from the standpoint of finding fault. He was not prepared to say that the industry should be deserted. He said rather he was prepared to find what was necessary to give a solution of the situation, and then, irrespective of other considerations, see that the aid was given.

Mr. P. M. Black, chairman of the Committee of Direction, raised the point that in the Okanagan, and even outside of it, various classes of the community were all being made comfortable under the industry of fruit growing by being given employment, and the sale of goods, while the one class—the grower, of the fruit—was not able to make it pay.

Mr Black said that British Columbia had produced almost as great a quantity of apples as had been the combined production of Nova Scotia, Ontario and Quebec.

Mr R. H. Macdonald asserted that $10,000,000 worth of wealth was left in the Province from the apple producing industry.

Mr. Manson asked to what extent the error in the growing of the wrong varieties of apples was to blame for the position of affairs.

Mr Macdonald replied there had been some of these mistakes, of course, but these were being righted. It was to be borne in mind, he said, also that fashions changed in the popularity of varieties, which could not be foreseen by the growers.

LOSS IN PRODUCTION

On the matter of the cost of producing, Mr. Macdonald pointed out that the department estimated the cost of producing a box of apples at 80 cents, and he thought that was probably about right. For the past eight years, under the most careful handling, he had only realized an average of 59 cents a box.

Dealing with the equalization of the distribution of fruit among the producers so that the proper proportions in the different parts of the trade might be borne by each one of the producers, Mr. Macdonald said the independent producers were inclined to take the fancy market to a far greater extent than they should.

The only way to overcome this feature was by central marketing.

The Associated Growers carried eighty per cent of the load. It had an investment of $1,000,000 in the valley all paid up in the line of packing houses, etc.

In the home market—the best one—the Associated Growers sold only fifty per cent of their production, while the independents got rid of seventy-one per cent in that market.

The question of freight rates in their relation to the trouble of the industry came up, on the suggestion of Mr Manson.

Mr. Macdonald said that this was an important feature. He explained that $2,600,000 had been paid out by the growers in the district in freight to the two companies. This was independent of the amount which was paid in express rates, but these he was unable to obtain from the companies.

TO INSIST ON DATA

It was decided by the committee that an attempt should be made to get them, and if they were not obtainable from the officers of the companies in a voluntary way, that officers should be subpoenaed to appear before the committee, when they would have to give the information. A resolution to this effect was passed.

To Mr. J. A. Buckham, Mr Macdonald gave the information that the value of the fruit and vegetables produced had been $6,069,106. There had been $2,626,729 paid out in freight to handle this total.

Major McGuire, an independent shipper, was the first one to raise the matter of the central sales agency. He said that he was very much in favor of it if the industry was to be kept in existence. Internal competition among the producers was the great cause of trouble.

DECIDE TO ASK INQUIRY

Mr. Macdonald being referred to as the one who could best speak on the subject, the latter said in explanation of why there had been no action taken along this line by the growers at the recent gathering that Major Hutton had brought it up. It had been decided unanimously to ask the Government to appoint a commission.

The effect of the anti-dumping legislation being repealed was taken up, and Mr Macdonald said that this had worked very much to the disadvantage of the Okanagan growers.

This led to the statement that the climatic situation whereby the American fruit came in earlier than the B.C. worked very much against the British Columbia producer.

Mr. Manson and others were opposed to the disloyalty of the Canadians who did not wait until the Canadian fruits came in.

Mr. Berry pointed out that a seasonal duty was almost imperative to combat this as the fruit was used, and the taste for it had to some extent passed when the local fruit came in.

The whole matter will be dealt with in a memorandum which is to be prepared.

Who's Who in Making Laws Across James Bay

MR. A. M. MANSON

The Liberal member for Omineca has been a member of the Legislature since the year 1916 continuously. During the intervening time he has served the country in a variety of capacities. He has been a private member, Deputy Speaker, Speaker and Attorney-General in turn, only to relapse to the rank of a private member with the change in the tide of affairs by which the party to which he belongs met with defeat at the polls last July.

Mr. Manson was born in 1883, and after receiving his education to the public schools, high schools and collegiates of the Province of Ontario, entered Toronto University, where he graduated to arts, afterwards to follow the profession of law.

In early manhood he left the East and came West to Prince Rupert, where he entered upon the practise of his profession.

On entering the House he became Deputy Speaker in 1918, and Speaker in 1921. In the year 1922 he was called to the Attorney-Generalship of the Province, serving in this capacity until his party went out of power.

Mr. Manson is a ready speaker, both on the hustings and in the House. He is never afraid to enter an oratorical fight to either arenas. On occasions he can be very outspoken and ready to sink party feeling if he feels the situation is one that warrants it. While he has the Scottish trait of being reluctant to admit that he is wrong on any question, he will, upon being convinced that his position is not a correct one, admit his mistake, although it takes a lot of convincing.

Upon Mr Manson in the Legislature at the present time falls the rather heavy task of acting as the chief critic of the Government when any matters dealing with strictly legal aspects come up. Considerable experience in the Attorney-General's position simplifies his task along this line, but it must be remembered that with a disposition that never tries to shirk work, he adds to this duty that of being a general debater of questions.

A record of the time taken by the individual members to addressing the House for the session now to progress will undoubtedly show that the ex-Attorney-General will carry off the laurels for the number and the length of his speeches.

Pioneer Dies

NEW WESTMINSTER, Feb. 15.—Samuel McClughan, eighty-eight, died on his farm at West Langley. He was born in Ireland and settled in West Langley fifty-two years ago. In the early days of Langley Municipality he was a member of the council and school board.

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TRANSPORTATION BILL IS DELAYED

Private Bills Committee to Again Consider Bill to Ratify Saanich-J. S. H. Matson Agreement

The order for the second reading of the private bill to ratify and confirm a by-law of the Municipality of Saanich and an agreement and a confirmatory agreement between the municipality and Mr. J. S. H. Matson, was discharged by the House yesterday on the motion of Mr. C. F. Davie, member for Cowichan-Newcastle, to order to send it back to the private bills committee for reconsideration.

Mr. A. M. Manson, on hearing the motion, immediately rose and asked for an explanation of such action. He said that the bill had been sent back to the House with the unanimous support of the committee and that before the order was discharged good and sufficient reason should be given for doing so.

Mr. Davie explained that the private bills committee had changed its meeting from Wednesday morning to Tuesday morning and that a delegation that was to have waited upon the committee in connection with the bill had been misled to connection with the holding of the meeting and therefore should be given a hearing before the bill passed through the House.

Mr. Manson expressed the opinion that this was a justifiable reason. The delegation should have an opportunity to be heard. He raised no objection to the order being discharged. The bill will now be referred back to the private bills committee for reconsideration.

CHINESE FACE LIQUOR COUNT

Wong and Sam Charged With Having Liquor to Hong Kong Restaurant, Fisgard Street

Two Chinese, Wong and Sam, were arraigned in the city police court before Magistrate Jay yesterday to face a charge of having liquor on February 12 in the Hong Kong Restaurant, 548 Fisgard Street, contrary to the Government Liquor Act.

Chief of Police John Fry informed the court that Mr. Stuart Henderson, counsel for the two accused, desired a remand of this case. The two Chinese reserved plea, and the case was adjourned until next Monday morning.

Wong is the owner of the Hong Kong Restaurant, and Sam is a waiter in the premises. Sergeant Thomas Heatley and Constable George Hutchinson will give evidence for the prosecution when the hearing of the charge proceeds.

Kenneth Hensworth pleaded guilty to a charge of driving his automobile to the common danger on Cook Street on February 11, and was fined $10. Motorcycle Constable Peris Atkinson testified that the defendant drove his car on Cook Street from Bay to North Park Streets at a speed of between thirty-five and thirty-seven miles an hour.

Frederick MacFarlane paid the court a $5 fine for failing to bring his motor car to a full stop upon entering an arterial highway.

PAID EDITORIALS MUST BE MARKED

OTTAWA, Feb. 15.—Second reading was given in the Commons last night to a bill amending the Post-office Act to regard to newspaper ownership. The measure provides that a sworn statement of the names and addresses of editors, owners and stockholders should be made semi-annually, on April 1 and October 1 of each year. Failure to comply with this provision would incur a penalty of denial of admission of the newspaper to question to the mails.

A further clause provides that paid editorials must be marked "Advertisement," and any offence against this provision will incur a fine of not less than $50 and not more than $500.

An amendment moved by P. J. Veniot, Postmaster-General, was accepted. It exempts religious, fraternal, temperance, scientific or other similar publications from reporting.

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Regular $2.75 Nature's Rival Corselettes of silk-stripe coutil with Swami silk top. Sizes 32 to 40. Dollar Day **$1.95**

Women's New Spring Coats to Sell Dollar Day at $16.95

Here is a splendid bargain in Women's New Spring Coats for Dollar Day shoppers, and they have been very specially priced at $16.95 for today's selling. They are smartly styled garments of the season's newest tweed coatings. Dollar Day **$16.95**

16 Only, Girls' Fur-Trimmed Coats

Good colors. Sizes 8 to 14 years, at **$2.49**

Odd Lines of Women's Wool, Silk and Wool and Lisle Stockings

2 Pairs for $1.00

About 250 Pairs of Women's Wool, Silk and Wool and Lisle Hose; odd lines and broken sizes. Regular up to $1.25. To clear Dollar Day at 2 pairs for **$1.00**

Big Dollar Day Savings in the Knit Underwear Department

Odd Lines of Ladies' Rayon Silk Vests, heavy quality. Regular to $2.25. Dollar Day at **$1.00**

Women's Bobette Silk Bloomers, odd lines and broken sizes. Regular to $2.75. To clear at, per pair **$1.00**

Women's Fleeced Cotton Combinations in all styles and sizes. Regular to $2.75. Dollar Day at **$1.00**

Women's Fleeced Cotton Vests, low neck with short sleeves; also V neck with long sleeves. All sizes. Regular to $1.75. Dollar Day **$1.00**

Children's All Pure Wool Vests, low neck with short sleeves. Sizes 2 to 8 years. Dollar Day, 2 for **$1.00**

Children's Fleeced Cotton Bloomers in black or white. All sizes at 2 pairs for **$1.00**

Children's Fleeced Cotton Combinations, also a few Jaeger Wool. All to clear Dollar Day at **$1.00**

Women's Silk-Plated Bloomers in white, apricot, mauve, sky and peach. Sizes 36 to 40. Dollar Day **$1.00**

Take Advantage of the Dollar Day Bargains in the Hosiery Section

Harvey's Fine Silk Hose in all the new Spring colors. Sizes 9, 9½ and 10. Dollar Day, per pair **89c**

Odd Lines of Children's Wool and Silk and Wool Hose, plain and fancy. Regular to $1.25. Dollar Day, 2 pairs for **$1.00**

Odd Lines and Broken Sizes of Women's Plain Lisle Hose, in black, brown and white, plain or ribbed tops, at 2 pairs for **$1.00**

Children's Fine 1 and 1 Ribbed Silk Lisle Hose in black, white or brown. All sizes up to 10. At 4 pairs for **$1.00**

1,000 Pairs Holeproof Silk Hose at $1.00

350 Pairs of Novelty French "Trefousse" Kid Gloves

Regular to $4.50 Pair **$2.95**

A wonderful bargain in High-Grade French Novelty Kid Gloves; odd lines. Regular to $4.50. All good Spring styles. To clear at, per pair, **$2.95**

Every Pair Perfect

5 Dozen Imported Embroidered Nightgowns at $1.00

Five Dozen Dainty Imported Embroidered Mull Nightgowns in many pretty colors. Special for Dollar Day at, each **$1.00**

Exceptional Dollar Day Bargains in the Lingerie Section

Nine Only, Satin and Habutai Silk Slips; all dark colors. Regular $2.75 and $7.50. Dollar Day at **$1.00**

Women's plain or Striped Satinette Slips in light and dark colors. Sizes to 44 Dollar Day at **$1.00**

Rayon Silk Nightgowns, made with dainty lace yokes. Choose from colors of peach, coral, pink and Nile. Dollar Day, **$1.49**

Odd Lines of Women's and Children's Cotton and Silk Bloomers, Corset Covers, Gertrude Slips and Flannelette Sleepers. To clear at 3 pieces for **$1.00**

You Must Shop Early for These Bargains

250 Pairs of Kayser Novelty Chamoisette Gloves, 75c Pair

250 Pairs of Kayser Novelty Chamoisette Gloves with silk-embroidered flare or turn-back cuffs. Sizes 6 to 7½. All good colors. Dollar Day, per pair **75c**

Women's House Dresses, Regular Up to $3.50, at $1.95

Women's Good Quality House Dresses, in many smart styles and attractive colorings. Regular to $3.50. Dollar Day **$1.95**

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Ladies' Fine Quality Crepe de Chine Ties at 2 for **$1.00**

Ladies' Wool Scarves. Regular to $4.75, at **$1.95**

Ladies' Black and Colored Gloria Umbrellas Dollar Day at **$2.95**

15 Dozen Slightly Soiled Hemstitched White Lawn Handkerchiefs. To clear Dollar Day at 2 dozen for **$1.00**

Big Bargains in the Children's Department

Ten Only, Girls' Oilskin Raincoats in black or yellow. Sizes 6 to 12 years. Regular to $3.75. Dollar Day **$2.95**

Seven Only, Girls' Shot Silk Raincoats. Sizes 8 to 14 years. Regular to $6.90. Dollar Day at **$4.15**

Ten Only, Girls' Pantie Flannel Dresses. Sizes 2, 3 and 4 years. Regular $2.75. Dollar Day at, each **$1.95**

Eight Only, Girls' Smart Flannel Dresses. Sizes 8 to 14 years. To clear Dollar Day at **$2.95**

Children's Velvet, Felt and Straw Hats. All good shapes. To clear Dollar Day at **$1.00**

Children's Wool Pull-Over Sweaters and Cardigans. To clear Dollar Day at **$1.00** and **$1.95**

Infants' White Silk and Satin Bonnets. Regular up to $2.50. Dollar Day **$1.00**

Ladies' Dainty Novelty Rubber Aprons. To clear Dollar Day at **$1.00**

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1008-10 GOVERNMENT STREET

"Germs of Masonry"

ROME, Feb. 15.—Roman Catholic clergymen will not be permitted to join Rotary clubs, according to the opinion of the Consistorial Congregation, announced yesterday.

An editorial in The Osservatore Romano of January 22 said that Rotary clubs may do considerable good but that their negative activities towards religion creates a void in which the germs of Masonry may be generated.

SIR H. WILKINS IN CHILE

TALCAHUANO, Chile, Feb. 15.—Sir Hubert Wilkins, noted explorer, who is returning from his Antarctic air expedition, arrived here today from Deception Island.

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THE DAY THEY COMMEMORATE

The Federal Parliament has been discussing the question of the relation of Armistice and Thanksgiving Days and its own action in attempting to alter the annual commemoration date of the ending of the Great War. There is no connection whatever in the people's minds between Armistice and Thanksgiving Days. They are each for set and separate purposes and the attempt by Parliament to combine their uses has been more honored in the breach than in the observance. The soldiers of the Great War do not believe in having the anniversary of Armistice Day confused with any other celebration, and in this and other communities they have steadfastly refused to commemorate November 11 on any other day than that date.

According to action of the Federal Parliament in 1921 it was made statutory that the observances of the signing of the Armistice on November 11, 1918, should be performed on Thanksgiving Day. Now Thanksgiving Day falls on Monday of the week in which November 11 falls, and it is only at intervals in the cycle of time that Monday happens to be November 11. Parliament should never have attempted to make a regulation to enforce on the people a custom with which they are not in sympathy. An Ottawa dispatch dealing with the latest discussion in Parliament says that, "Armistice ceremonies must be celebrated on the Monday of that week on Thanksgiving Day." In other words, the celebration on a set date, only occasionally the anniversary of an epochal event, is mandatory. That is Ottawa's viewpoint, but there is another viewpoint entertained by those most concerened, namely, the men who fought in the Great War. With them the date that marks the anniversary celebrations of Armistice Day cannot be changed by an Act of Parliament. They commemorate, and will continue to commemorate, on November 11.

NOVEL ADVERTISING

A guarantee has been put forward by a firm of French aluminum hollow-ware manufacturers to subscribe to the British Mansion House Fund (for unemployed miners) four shillings on every order of a specified value that it receives from British customers. This is a wholly novel way of securing business, in fact it could be interpreted as a design to perpetuate conditions which will prevent competition. In any case the comment on what it means is as strong an argument for protection as could be put forward in such a succinct way. Sir Basil Peto says:

"The offer in effect is to assist us to maintain our unemployed on charity, provided that British housewives in making their purchases will find employment for French workmen instead of for our own unemployed in the aluminum hollow-ware industry. In 1927 Great Britain imported for consumption in the home market £297,000,000 of manufactured goods; it took over 1,000,000 foreign workpeople to produce those goods. A British unemployed worker draws from the Unemployment Insurance Fund an average of £80 per annum."

BRITAIN AND CHINA

Britain's trade treaty with China is in effect a recognition of the Nationalist Government with its headquarters at Nanking. It will probably open up a new era in trade, but that is largely dependent on the strength of the Nationalist Government and its ability to represent China as a whole. Britain agrees to remove the tariff restrictions contained in the old treaties. On the other hand the Chinese Government agrees to adopt as its maximum duties those schedules which were decided upon at a conference held in 1925. For the majority of British imports these amount to ad valorem rates of 15 per cent to 7 1-2 per cent, as against the flat 5 per cent which had existed since 1858.

Under the terms of the treaty there is an understanding that the "arbitrary and uncertain internal charges" known as "likin" will be abolished as soon as possible. This means that goods which have once paid import duty to China will be freed from any other dues. "Likin" has hitherto inconvenienced commerce. The Customs administration which has done so much to maintain China's credit abroad is to be maintained. So far the Nanking Government is adhering faithfully to the terms of the new treaty which it is recognized is in the interest of China. Among the Governments of the Empire which should hope to derive considerable commercial benefit is Canada, though it does not seem that this country has yet subscribed to the treaty, or negotiated one of her own.

PHOSPHATE SUPPLIES

Before the war the United States and Canada were the largest joint sources of phosphate for the international trade. The war brought about the development and expansion of deposits in Northern Africa and in the South Sea Islands. The deposits in Northern Africa are in Morocco, Algeria and Tunis, and seem, indeed, to stretch across the continent. Some of these deposits are easily worked and yield high grade phospate rock. Before the war the world output of phosphate rock was some seven million tons; it now considerably surpasses that figure. Prices have fallen as a result of heavy production, and this drop has been accentuated by a superabundance of ocean tonnage. As a result, the New World export of prosphate is declining and may possibly be extinguished so far as the European trade is concerned. As an example, the United States export of phosphate to the United Kingdom last year fell to a quarter of the pre-war volume, the imports from Northern Africa increasing accordingly. New World phosphates are in fact ousted from the markets of the world by phosphates from cheaper sources.

Regarding the deposits of Northern Africa as domestic, Europe is endeavoring to become self-sufficient in phosphate. Europe has always been self-sufficient in potash; in fact a heavy net exporter. With the general development throughout Europe of fixation of atmospheric nitrogen into ammonia and nitric acid, aided by the recovery of by-product ammonia in coke plants, Europe has the hope of becoming independent of Chilean saltpetre. This is a reasonable expectation. When this works out—and it may require only a few years—the agriculture of Europe will be independent of foreign fertilizers at a time when the agriculture of some continents is dependent on her for potash, and others for nitrate and phosphate. In this direction, at least, the war has yielded to Europe a net gain.

REMITTANCES TO CHINA

It has never been estimated—though the figures probably could be secured—how much money the Chinese in British Columbia sent back annually to their native land. It is the habit of Chinese overseas to remit large sums to the homeland; perhaps they invest it there as a provision for their old age, possibly it is sent to help relatives, or business enterprise in which they have an interest. The Yokohama Specie Bank is the authority for a statement that in a normal year the Chinese overseas remit the sum of $160,000,000 to their homeland. This sum, in the way of putting money in circulation, offsets the unfavorable balance in China's foreign trade. In the Straits Settlements where there are 1,170,000 Chinese, the sum they sent to China in 1925 was $19,026,000, and 250,000 Chinese in the Philippines remitted $13,288,000. From the Dutch East Indies 810,000 Chinese sent home $10,840,000. The Chinese in Europe, and in North and South America remitted $50,000,000, and those in Siam, French Indo-China and in Burma, $66,420,000.

In British Columbia, where probably the Chinese enjoy bigger profits through their work and trading than anywhere else in the globe, the volume of money sent back to their native land must be greater in proportion. It would be interesting to know what it amounts to, or, in other words, the extent to which this province is the loser annually. As matters stand the Chinese overseas are a bigger asset to China than if they were at home. They are feeding the finances of the homeland under the dispensation of those laws which allow them to enter foreign countries as emigrants.

Spain is again considering the building of a tunnel under the Straits of Gibraltar to connect Europe and Africa. The matter has been carried to a point where a commission of engineers, geologists and hydrographers has been appointed to select experimental sites. At the European side Terre de la Pena, west of Tarifa, has already been selected and the point on the African coast will be chosen almost immediately. The tunnel proposed would be two miles longer than the Simplon tunnel. The main obstacle to the construction is the possibility that it woud not be an economic venture. It probably could not be made so until the African railways are given connections with a point where the tunnel would reach the African shore.

The Weather

Meteorological Office, Victoria, B.C., at 6 p.m., February 15, 1929.

TEMPERATURES

	Rain	Snow	Min.	Max.
Victoria	.10	..	36	40
Nanaimo	..	..	32	43
Vancouver	.01	..	32	36
Kamloops	..	..	16	28
Barkerville	..	..	..	34
Estevan Point	..	..	28	46
Prince Rupert	66	..	36	38
Atlin	..	..	28	32
Dawson	..	..	2	26
Seattle	01	..	32	38
Portland	Trace	..	26	40
San Francisco	..	..	50	64
Los Angeles	..	..	46	66
Spokane	..	..	16	34
Penticton	..	..	14	30
Vernon	..	..	7	30
Grand Forks	..	..	6	26
Nelson	..	..	18	30
Kaslo	..	..	21	30
Cranbrook	..	..	7	35
Calgary	..	6	36	28
Edmonton	..	3.8	6	20
Swift Current	..	1.4	28	30
Prince Albert	..	..	4b	4
Qu'Appelle	..	4	6	12
Winnipeg	..	Trace	10b	18

FORECASTS

Victoria and Vicinity—Fresh to strong East and South winds, unsettled and mild with rain.

Vancouver and Vicinity—Fresh to strong East and South winds on the Gulf, unsettled and mild with rain.

FRIDAY

Maximum	40
Minimum	26
Average	36
Minimum on the grass	28

Rain, .10 inch.

General state of the weathr, cloudy.

6 P.M. WEATHER REPORTS

Victoria—Barometer, 30.13; wind, E., 12 miles; cloudy.

Vancouver—Barometer, 30.12; wind, E., 6 miles; raining.

Kamloops—Barometer, 29.86; wind, NE., 4 miles; fair.

Barkerville—Barometer, 29.78; calm; cloudy.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 30.13; wind, SE., 16 miles; raining.

Estevan Point—Barometer, 30.14; wind, N.W., 20 miles; fair.

Tatoosh—Barometer, 30.14; wind W., 6 miles; cloudy.

Portland, Ore.—Barometer, 30.24; wind, NW., 4 miles; cloudy.

Seattle—Barometer, 30.16, wind, S., 4 miles; cloudy.

San Francisco—Barometer, 30.20; wind, W., 4 miles; clear.

MARRIAGE TANGLES

There are terrible complications, I hear, in a village near Cologne. The inhabitants are very busy working out the complexities. It appears that a year ago a sixty-eight-year-old widower married the village belle, a girl of twenty-two, who became the stepmother of her husband's forty-year-old son. This son married the mother of the girl, by which union his own father became his son-in-law. A few days ago the twenty-two-year-old wife presented her sixty-eight-year-old husband with a daughter. It is clear that the baby's grandmother is also her sister-in-law, but if, as will probably happen, the baby's grandmother has a child by its stepbrother, some still more exciting complications will arise.—C.J.A. in The Daily News and Westminster Gazette (London).

A CLEAN-UP NEEDED

All is not well in the City. It is hardly possible these days to open a paper without finding in it a report of some meeting of angry and disillusioned shareholders. But such meeting are becoming altogether too common for the repute of the London Stock Exchange and of London as a commercial centre traditionally associated with sound and honorable finance. The company promoter, the gambler, the merchant in paper securities, the dexterous juggler with shares and subsidiaries—these we have always with us. But they and their henchmen, the dummy directors, have never been so prominent as now.—London Daily Express.

Note and Comment

By R. B. D.

As Manitoba will soon have an ocean port without an extension of her boundaries, Saskatchewan is demanding an extension of her boundaries so that she can have an ocean port, or possibly several ocean ports, too. Then Alberta, making note of the ambitions of Saskatchewan, declares that if the boundaries of Saskatchewan be extended to salt water, there must be no discrimination, and that her northern possessions must be bounded by the Arctic Ocean.

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It is true there are oceans of water in Manitoba and an abundance of water of a kind in the provinces of Saskatchewan and Alberta, but those oceans of water are not salt water. There is nothing more refreshing to people of British origin than an occasional "sniff of salt sea air." Therefore while there may be a sentimental aspect to the wide ambitions of the Prairie Provinces, the people of those prosperous provinces are more noted for the practical qualities than for the sentimental qualities of their minds, and there is more business than sentiment in their demands. The people of the prairies want ocean ports because when they have access to salt water they will have direct and cheap access to all parts of the world for business purposes. It is true that ocean ports on the Arctic seas are sealed with ice for the greater part of the year, but ocean ports for a fractional part of the year are better than no ocean ports at all or ocean ports that are situated in comparatively remote parts of the continent.

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But there is another aspect to the ambitions of the people of the Prairie Provinces. If their bounds were extended to the Arctic Ocean, their territories would be correspondingly extended, and the northern territories are known to be rich in potential resources. The famous pre-Cambrian belt extends across the continent. Railways are being constructed into that rich northern region, and the two ambitious provinces want to follow the railways and to share in the business developed by the railways. There is believed to be a greater latent wealth in the mineralized rocks of the north than there is even in the rich soil of the south.

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The matter of the extension of provincial boundaries or the creation of new provinces is of course in the hands of the Dominion Government. The Dominion Government seems to have intimated that it objects to the extension of the northern boundaries of Saskatchewan and Alberta. Possibly it contemplates the creation of new Provinces out of the existing Northwest Territories. But the Dominion Government did not object to the extension northward of the boundaries of Quebec, which by such extension became the largest of all the Canadian provinces and partly as a result of which extension also became the most prosperous of all the Canadian provinces. There is therefore a precedent for acceding to the demands of the Prairies Provinces, and we cannot understand why such a demand should be resisted.

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The question is of considerable interest to the people of British Columbia, and we trust our provincial government is giving it "most serious consideration." True, there are a considerable number of ocean ports in British Columbia, and there is no sentimental reason why we should ask for more. But if Saskatchewan and Alberta want their bounds extended northward to Melville Sound, why should we not want to extend our bounds away up to Mackenzie Bay? We have lost a considerable expanse of territory that was legitimately ours as a result of the complaisance of a historical boundary commission. An extension of our northern boundaries would in a measure compensate for what many qualified authorities consider a miscarriage of justice. Then if the region north of Saskatchewan and Alberta is as rich as it is reputed to be, the region north of British Columbia is quite as rich.

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Public opinion in Canada undoubtedly is hostile to the erection of new provinces. The opinion is that there are too many provinces already, that the more provinces there are the greater the cost of government. So if there is going to be a territorial grab and a general enlargement of provincial boundaries, the claims of this province should be submitted to the Federal Government and our rights firmly and logically presented. Development in Canada has assumed a new and more interesting form since the discovery of the latent and unsuspected resources of all the northern country. Possibly the political developments may become as interesting as the industrial discoveries. In any case, the ambitious Prairie Provinces have created a most important issue, and we trust our Government does not consider that issue of no particular interest to this province.

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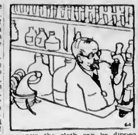


THE favorite study of the middle ages was that of alchemy. "If we could only change one of the 'baser' metals into gold," men thought, "all the world's troubles would be solved, and besides—we would be very rich."

But of course, they were mistaken. For now that men have really learned to turn mercury into gold and rocks into precious gems, and wood into silk, the world's troubles seem only to have begun.

For there is gold enough in the world—and it is cheaper to mine it then to make it, and the diamonds men have made are too small to be valuable. Only the art of making silk from wood and cotton has proved to be more profitable than the hopes of ancient alchemists.

The makers of artificial silk have learned their art from the silk worm who spins his silken web from tiny holes in his abdomen called spinerets.

To begin with, the wood pulp or cotton is dissolved in sharp acids. It is then forced through tiny holes made in platinum in imitation of the silk worm's spinerets. This sieve squeezes the pulp into long threads which look for all the world like silk—thick or thin, according to the size of the holes. The threads are immediately put into a bath of chemical stuffs, which hardens them. Then the cloth is woven and dyed.

There are three methods of making the artificial silk threads from cotton or wood. When the cloth is woven from threads made in each of these several ways, the various threads absorb different dyes. Consequently the cloth can be dipped into one color after another and the weavers are sure that only certain of the threads will take certain of the colors. Instead, as is ordinarily true, of the whole cloth taking first one color and then the next, only certain threads take the first color and certain others, the second, even though the whole cloth be dipped into each dye.

So instead of dyeing the threads before they are woven to make a pattern, in the usual way, the makers of this false silk can dip the woven cloth into color after color and create daring designs.

There are still many people who think that the humble little silk worm does a better piece of work than all the machinery men's wits can devise. Nevertheless those who have learned to change wood or cotton magically into silk, have become richer than the dreams of those medieval students who sough a recipe for gold.—By Colin O. Welles, Ph.D.

Letters to the Editor

No letter to the Editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exceptions.

RETURNED SOLDIER FUND

Sir,—Thanks to the generosity of many kind sympathisers, I have been able to send off today to Mr. Reginald N. Hincks the sum of $186, which sum will enable the crippled returned soldier, Joe Baugh, his wife and their three small kiddies, to enjoy a little comfort this severe weather. (It is still below zero at Coalmont.) The case of this paralyzed man is being investigated by the authorities, and it is hoped that permanent relief will eventually be given. On February 6 cash was wired to buy food for the family, and another week's supply will be left at the home today. Twenty-five dollars of the fund has been spent for this two weeks' supply. There will be sufficient money to keep the family comfortable until weather conditions are more favorable.

As the fund will be administered by "Reggie" Hincks, it is certain that it will be spent wisely and to the best advantage.

May I thank The Colonist, The Times, and the many kind people who have helped to give comfort to a very distressed family.

THOMAS GOLBY.

Cadboro Bay, B.C., February 15, 1929.

HIGH SCHOOL ISSUE

Sir,—I notice some of the members of the Provincial Legislature have been calling the attention of the Government to the heavy burden of educational cost laid upon the property owners of the municipalities, and have been asking for relief, suggesting that the Provincial Government should take over the whole cost of education. I am not so sure thet this is the best solution to the problem, and I recommend to the attention of the members of the Legislature as well as the Victoria property owners, that the act itself be studied, especially sections 50, with amendment, 53, 137, 138, 139 and 140 of the Public Schools Act. When these sections are carefully canvassed and read in conjunction with section 159, the intention of the legislators who framed the act, seem to be apparent.

The legislators, who framed this act, in their wisdom, would appear to consider that eight years should be sufficient to take a child through the primary and high schools. The period of free mandatory education was placed between the ages of seven and fourteen, both inclusive. For a backward child an extra year is allowed, but fees are chargeable, unless the parent is found unable to pay. After fifteen it is evidently intended that the child should leave the ordinary day schools, and thus make room for others, but in case the pupil desires to further his education night schools are provided.

The provisions covering night schools are rather interesting, and I think are worth quoting. They read as follows:

"The board of school trustees of any school district may establish and maintain a night school, having one or more classrooms, for persons of fifteen years or upwards who desire to obtain instruction in the ordinary courses of study prescribed for the public schools, or in manual training, or home economics, or in agriculture, commercial, technical or vocational subjects; but no class at which the average attendance of pupils is less than ten shall be maintained." Under section 140 fees may be charged for night schools, as well as all higher education from "Superior Schools" up.

Under section 159 a parent may take his child away after he has reached his fifteenth year. Section 60 requires the school board to provide school accommodation for children (only) between the ages of six and sixteen (that is from seven to fifteen, both inclusive). This suggests that after the age of fifteen the school board is no longer called upon to provide school accommodation in the ordinary day schools, but may provide night schools for which fees are chargeable.

Reading these sections of the act together, the conclusion one naturally comes to is that the legislators, in their wisdom, considered that when a lad has reached the age of sixteen years, having completed nine years of education (eight of which are free) he should be ready to start in life, and night schools are provided for him to fit himself for a vocation. It was never intended that young men and women of ages between eighteen and twenty-five should encumber the space of the high schools, as I understand is the case in the Victoria High School.

If this reading is correct, then the difficulties of the municipalities have been the result of the school boards having abused their discretionary powers and gone rampant, and amendments might be sought in the direction of giving those who have to pay the bills better control of the school boards over all matters where, under the present act, powers are discretionary and not mandatory. Not only should new buildings require the sanction, through the ballot box, of the property owners (who, at present pay the whole bill), but the introduction of any extraordinary subjects or courses, such as are covered under the general terms of technical or vocational schools, should also require sanction. If the words "with the consent of the property owners" were inserted after the word "may," thus, "May, with the consent of the property owners, establish technical schools, etc.," we would then have a position of local option.

The so-called congestion at the Victoria High School is only caused by the school board abusing its discretionary powers. Children, over the age of fifteen years should only be admitted to the high schools if there is accommodation which is not required by those within the mandatory age limit, and these overage children should be required to pay an adequate fee. The penalty of this fee would encourage diligence, for we are not apt to appreciate what we can get free; but if there is a limit to this getting something for nothing, then ambitious children would have an incentive to study with greater diligence. On the other hand, those whose inclination is in the direction of craftsmanship would be able to take a course in the night schools in the subjects chosen by them.

If the school boards are thus controlled, expenses could be kept within reasonable limits. Under present conditions, the school boards are given too much discretionary power and are disposed to emulate other school boards. Thus, the Victoria School Board has been pressed to establish technical schools because the Vancouver and New Westminster School Boards have gone rampant in the same direction and the matter of the pockets of the property owners does not, seem to trouble them in the least.

In all seriousness I make this statement that if the school board had carried out the provisions of the act there would be no congestion in the high school, that there are, at least, 500 pupils there who are not entitled to be there, and that of these there are thirty-five to forty from unorganized districts attending high school, free of cost, there are between 140 and 150 over seventeen years paying only $30 per year; and there are between 140 and 150 each of the ages of sixteen and seventeen years, a large number of whom are repeaters, who pay nothing. It is not mandatory to provide these children with school accommodation, and the fees charged in the night schools, which are intended for this class, are cheap enough.

H. HASTINGS.

2806 Foul Bay Road, Victoria, B.C., February 14, 1929.

ENGLAND'S FAST TRAINS

Sir,—In the extremely interesting lecture given by Dr. Plaskett last Monday in the Memorial Hall mention was made of the fast and smooth running of English railway trains. It may be of interest to state that on the Great Western Railway thirteen expresses leave daily from Paddington Station, London, all of which are timed at an average of over fifty-five miles an hour, and of these eleven run over a hundred miles before the first stop. The fastest run on the G.W.R. is from Swindon to Paddington, 77¼ miles in seventy-five minutes, giving an average speed of 61.8 miles an hour.

The fastest long-distance run ever made on the G.W.R. was done some years ago, from Plymouth to London, in 3 hours 46 minutes 48 seconds, at a speed of 66.29 miles per hour. At one point on this run a speed of 100 miles per hour was touched.

The smooth running on this wonderful railway has led it to be described as the line that put the "ee'e" into "speed." In the dining cars an excellent four-course luncheon is served for eighty cents.

It was one of the ordinary G.W.R. express engines which gained the Baltimore & Ohio Railway centenary medals at the exhibition in 1927, held in Baltimore, and this same engine hauled with ease a heavy American train, and had reached a speed of seventy-six miles per hour when the telephone order to "reduce speed" informed the engineer that the officials were nervous at such fast running.

It is interesting to note that already locomotives are appearing on American railroads which resemble the design of the English engine rather than the rougher type familiar on this continent.

Perhaps one day we may be able to welcome the appearance on our great Canadian railways of more carefully finished locomotives, with something of the attractive color scheme which lends such additional interest to the railways of the Motherland. The motor industry realized the advantages which lay in the variously colored motors found in Europe and we are now quite accustomed to colored cars in our streets.

E. P. LAYCOCK.

Memorial Hall, 612 Vancouver Street, Victoria, B.C., February 14, 1929.

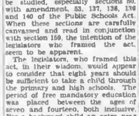
A CORRECTION

Sir,—I notice in your report of St. Mary's Ladies' Guild, in this morning's Colonist, that you have again spelt my name wrongly and I should like you to correct it. My name is spelt Cullis and not Bullis, and I certainly object to such an ugly appellation.

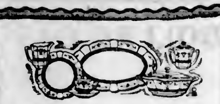
KATE BEVAN CULLIS.

Secretary St. Mary's Ladies' Guild, 2651 Currie Road, Oak Bay, B.C., February 14, 1929.

Jots From the Arts



BENVENUTO Cellini is today perhaps best known of all the old masters of the sixteenth century to art lovers. He was undoubtedly the greatest goldsmith the world ever produced, and was equally as famous as a sculptor. Cellini lived a remarkable life, filled with thrilling adventures that read like highly imaginative fiction. "The Life of Benvenuto Cellini" is perhaps the most widely read of all the Harvard classics. He is remembered as a wicked man, for all his genius, and it was he, who, according to his own account, killed both the Constable and the Prince of Orange.



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TO AWAIT REPORT

Still Consideration Will Be Given to Case of Canadian Northeastern Railway

Premier S. F. Tolmie is investigating the question raised in the House with respect to the advisability of granting the Canadian Northeastern Railway the rights they are asking to extend into the Peace River District, in so far as it might affect the Pacific Great Eastern Railway.

Mr. H. D. Twigg told the private bills committee meeting yesterday morning that consideration of this bill would not be given by the committee until the Premier had viewed the situation from every point, inasmuch as the P.G.E. might be directly or indirectly affected.

It was announced by the chairman, however, that the most important bill to be considered by the committee would come up for discussion at the meeting to be held Tuesday morning. Then the West Kootenay Power and Electric Light Company's private bill will be considered. Several delegations are expected to wait upon the committee in connection with this matter.

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Funeral Notice

Members of Mt. Newton Lodge, A.F. & A.M. No. 88, G.R.S.C. are requested to attend the funeral of our late Brother, Alexander Pettigrew, on Saturday, February 16, at 2 p.m., and McCall Funeral Parlors at 2 p.m. for the purpose of attending the funeral of their late Brother, Peter Ferguson. Members of other lodges are cordially invited to join in said masonic rite interred in island.

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BUSINESS MEN OF CANADA MAY INVADE ORIENT

Mr. T. S. Dixon, Vancouver Board of Trade President, Tells Joint Gathering of Proposed 1930 Mission

TERMS MEETING HAPPY OCCASION

A delegation of Canadian business men may invade the Orient in 1930, Mr. T. S. Dixon, president of the Vancouver Board of Trade, stated yesterday in addressing the joint luncheon of the Victoria Chamber of Commerce and Vancouver Board of Trade, which was held here in the chamber auditorium, with President P. B. Powler, of the local organization, presiding.

The Vancouver board scheduled the project for two years ago, but unsettled conditions in China at that time caused postponement. Mr. Dixon said he had just returned from Ottawa, and found that the suggestion of a trade delegation to the Orient next year was being favorably received all through the East.

Hon. James Malcolm, Federal Minister of Trade and Commerce, expressed himself strongly in support of the move, and promised the co-operation of his department. He agreed that a endeavor to interest the Government. The minister, in response to an invitation to accompany the delegation, replied that he would do so if possible, but in any event would have a representative on the trip, Mr. Dixon stated.

The speaker told of the trip which the Canadian Chamber was sponsoring to the Peace River country next September, and said that it was up to us on the Coast to see that a delegation is sent there to show the people from the East that we are sincere, that we believe in this development of this hinterland to the Pacific Coast."

During the luncheon Messrs. Donald Cameron and Fred Pitt entertained with piano accordion duets, which were thoroughly appreciated.

A layer of the huge cake prepared by Premier Tolmie by the Chamber of Commerce on the occasion of his recent birthday, occupied a prominent place at the head table. Mr. T. S. Dixon, Vancouver, cut the first slice, and those present enjoyed a taste of the cake.

The visiting Vancouver members were: Messrs. T. S. Dixon, Bentall S. Brown, T. H. Kirk, M.P.P., Nichol Thompson, F. K. Burke, G. S. Eldridge, R. D. Williams, J. W. Gehrke, J. W. Kelly, F. O. T. Lucas, K.C., J. E. Stephenson, P. H. Clendenan, W. E. Payne, secretary of Vancouver Board of Trade, and John Carson.

"FREE" TRADE

LONDON, Feb. 19.—A story of boycotted German wheat being dumped into the English market was told in the House of Lords today. Lord Harris, who brought the matter up, argued that under the German system of remission of duties exports of German wheat were in effect being subsidized at the rate of 50 marks ($12) per ton.

Importation of this subsidized wheat, he claimed, was imposing an additional burden on the British farmer. At present the imports were not large but there was nothing to prevent them from growing to a great volume.

Lord Bessie said German wheat had been offered in London in November at £1 5s. 6d. a Cwt. or 5s. per quarter (eight bushels) than English wheat.

Pacific Club Elects Panel Of Officers

Mr. L. Marks is the new president of the Pacific Club, the vice-president is Mr. W. Cuthbert, and the committee is composed of Messrs. R. Berrill, A. S. G. Musgrave, R. C. Chinsty, W. A. Patterson and R. L. Tait.

The annual meeting, held this week, was largely attended, and enthusiastic.

A comprehensive report of the club's progress was presented by the retiring president, Mr. W. Hyslop, and was followed by the annual financial statement, which showed a more substantial position than for years.

"Vatican City" Is Correct Name For Papal State

VATICAN CITY, Feb. 15.—The use of the new geographical designation "Vatican City" is now considered the most accurate way of indicating the place of origin of news stories concerning the activities surrounding the Papal household.

As specified in the Italo-Vatican accord, the Vatican with nearby buildings now forms an independent state by itself, under the name Vatican City.

Obituary

EVANS.—The remains of Lewis Walkin Evans were laid to rest yesterday afternoon from the McCall Funeral chapel, the funeral taking place from Christ Church, B.C. Funeral Chapel. Rev. F. A. P. Chadwick officiating. The pall bearers were "Rock of Ages Clef for Me" and "Nearer, My God, to Thee." A large number of friends and relatives were present. And the members of the Masonic Order attended in a body. The masonic service at the graveside was conducted by Mr. W. E. Hoodley, worshipful master of Hendemon Lodge No. 81, A.F. & A.M., assisted by Mr. P. James, acting chaplain. Many beautiful floral designs were covered. The following all members of the Masonic order, acted as pallbearers: Messrs. R. L. Cox, J. M. McIntosh, H. C. Corbett, H. F. Weller, A. W. Trevett and G. M. Prentice.

ROBERTS — The funeral of Thomas Roberts will take place this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from McCall Bros. Funeral Home to Ross Bay Cemetery, where services will be held under the auspices of Mount Newton Lodge, No. 89, A.F. & A.M.

QUINN—The funeral of John Quinn was held yesterday morning from the Sands Funeral Chapel, proceeding to St. Andrew's Cathedral, where Rev. Father Smith conducted mass and funeral service. Interment was made in Ross Bay Cemetery, the pallbearers being H. A. Barnes, M. Doyle, J. Pickup, R. Duncan, J. J. Johnson and W. Prudhome.

PEACHEY—There passed away last evening, at St. Joseph's Hospital, William Thomas Peachey, aged eighty. Mr. Peachey was born in England and came to this city thirty-five years ago, residing at 1424 Begbie Street. He is survived by one brother, Mr. Moore, Pine Street, and two nephews, Fred Peachey, Colwood, and Percy Peachey, of Metchosin. The remains are at the S. J. Curtis & Sons Funeral Home. Announcements of the funeral will be made later.

FERGUSSON — The funeral of George Ferguson will take place this afternoon at 3 o'clock, proceeding from McCall Bros. Funeral Home to Ross Bay Cemetery, where services will be held under the auspices of Mount Newton Lodge, No. 89, A.F. & A.M.

WOULD REMIT FEE

Suggestion Made to Home in Relieve Municipalities of Responsibility

The abolition of the private bills fee so far as it affects municipalities will be considered by the private bills committee of the House. At yesterday morning's meeting of the committee the municipality of Delta asked for a remission of the extra fee charged when a private bill is brought in after the period allotted for regularly bringing in private bills. This extra fee of $300 was remitted, the chairman, Mr. H. D. Twigg, suggesting that the policy of abolishing the regular fee now paid by municipalities be considered.

At present municipalities have to pay a fee of $300 in order to introduce a private bill into the house. If the policy suggested by Mr. Twigg is adopted and passed on to the Government and supported by the House, this will mean a great saving in expenditure to the various municipalities, particularly to cities such as Vancouver and Victoria, which have private acts, which can now be amended by private bill.

The bill seeking to consolidate two waterworks systems in the municipality of Delta by consolidating the debentures of both systems and spreading the original cost and cost of maintenance and repairs over the areas served, was finally adopted, as amended by the committee, and will be passed on to the House.

CAPT. R. BALCOM PASSES TO REST

Well-Known Local Mariner Had Interesting Career at Sea From Age of Twelve

Capt. Ruben Balcolm, well-known in waterfront circles since coming here in 1894 to engage in sealing, died yesterday at the family residence, 2238 Blanshard Street, aged seventy-four years.

Beginning his sea career off the coast of Nova Scotia at the age of twelve, Captain Balcom was made a master when twenty-one. For several years he commanded ships out of Nova Scotia ports for the West Indies and South America.

On October 14, 1893, he was wrecked on a schooner bound for Cuba with fish. The ship was struck by a hurricane and six members of the crew were washed overboard. Captain Balcom and two others landed themselves to the only remaining deck house and were packed up three days later by the passing steamer Great Prince, bruised, battered and half starved, and with their limbs cut to the bone where the ropes saved them from being hurled into the heaving sea.

CAME HERE IN 1894

In 1894 he came to Victoria and became associated with the firm of the late Captain B. Balcom, in sealing in the schooners Victoria and Zilla May. Urged by the call of the Klondike, he sailed for the Yukon gold diggings in 1897, remaining there until 1899.

Returning from the North, Captain Balcom went to Halifax in 1900, sailing for Cape Horn to catch seal in command of the schooner Beatrice L. Corkum. He remained in South American waters for several years. In 1904 he went to Norway, 2126 Granville Street, Victoria, for the steel sealing vessel Orion. He brought her to Victoria around Cape Horn. The Orion is at present owned by the Consolidated Whaling Corporation.

In 1906 Captain Balcom took the schooner Agnes L. Donohue to the Indian Ocean. When the ship hove in sight of Martin Island a number of men were noticed on the beach, frantically waving clothing to attract attention of those on board. They were seventy-five members of the Norwegian steamer Bolgient, ashaway on the barren island. Captain Balcom interrupted the cruise to convey them to Natal, on the east coast of South Africa.

IN ATLANTIC HERE

After 1909 Captain Balcom lived in retirement here with the exception of a voyage to Fiji and Christmas Islands in 1916 as commander of the sailing vessel Isabel May.

Born at Sheet Harbor, Halifax County, N.S., in 1855, Captain Balcom is survived by his widow, Mrs. Jessie Balcom, two sons, Captain Louis Balcom, Victoria, and D. H. Balcom, of Vancouver; one daughter, Mrs. O. H. MacKenzie, of Sydney, Australia, and a sister, Mrs. George Publicover, of Halifax.

The remains are at the S. J. Curty & Son Funeral Home, where service will be held on Monday at 3:30 o'clock, after which they will be forwarded to Vancouver crematorium.

Militia Appointments

OTTAWA, Feb. 15.—Militia orders just issued report the appointment of Lieut.-Col. H. T. Logan, M.C. to command the British Columbia University Contingent, O.T.C., Vancouver.

Lieut.-Col. E. O. Mason, O.B.E., has been appointed to command the 2nd Reserve Battalion, Calgary Regiment.

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COMMISSIONERS ARE GAZETTED

Long List Is Published of Appointments to Register Provincial Voters

Provincial election commissioners for the electoral district of Esquimalt have been gazetted as follows: Messrs. Robert William Robinson, Colwood; Albert Edward Walz, Langford; Frank Smedley, Langford; and John Tyson, Langford.

Additional commissioners in the Saanich riding are: Mrs. Janet McNaught Beckett, Hughes Road; Mrs. Florence Byrd Mulvey, Keating; Mrs. Edith Nix, Tulip Avenue, Marigold; Mrs. Amelie Lacourarier, Mount Newton; William Linford, Jasmine Avenue; Alfred R. McBurney, Cordova Bay; David Lehman, Royal Oak, Neil McGillivray, Prospect Lake; James Lamont Mosher, Keating; William Harold Nix, Tulip Avenue, Henry Nott, Gerda Road; James O'Donnell, Clanford Avenue; John Warnock, Marigold; A. J. Webb, Clanford Avenue; John L. Sparks, Royal Oak; Mrs. Alice Sluggett, West Saanich; Frederick Lorne Thomson, Elsie Street; Thomas Tubman, Keating; W. R. Smith, Jasmine Avenue; S. A. Veale, Jasmine Avenue, H. H. Briggs, Clanford Avenue; H. H. Burns, Carey Road; James Charlton, Lavender Avenue; G. T. Cudmore, Brentwood Vale; Joseph Drennan, Lavender Avenue, and Charles Fitzgerald, Clanford Avenue.

To the Cowichan-Newcastle list has been added: S. Guthrie, Ladysmith, R. S. Cowie, Sea Bank, G. H. Savage, H. A. Williams, R. G. Tait, Mabel Motthauer, Lucy Rofe, all of Duncan; W. J. Lowry, Cowichan Station; R. Rae, Crofton, and J. M. Kennedy, Chemainus.

Victoria electoral district additions are: Julia Bellingham, 1723 Monterey Street; Margaret Marshall, 3112 Glasgow Avenue; Ida Maud Christian, 1867 Oak Bay Avenue; Mary Jane Henderson, 1828 Philbrick Road; Jessie Nelson, 1811 Baldwin Avenue; Margaret Sloan Young, 103 Cumberland Street; Harry Taylor, 1788 Monterey Avenue; Annie Matthews, 2816 Grahame Street; Leonard Alexander Campbell, 719 Richmond Avenue; Ernest Edward Richmond Avenue; George Stanley Greed, 1132 Johnson Street; William McKinnon Ivel, 127 Cambridge Street; William Lewis Pearkes, 1132 Arnold Avenue; Edward Kean, 1817 Quadra Street; Emma Crocker, 1190 Fort Street; William Hamilton Kinsman, 1616 Cannonin Street; Phillip MacDonald, 2810 Blanchard Street; Charles Achorn, 1427 Fernwood Road; Dudley Hayes Bell, 406 Superior Street; Richard Radcliffe Taylor, 1384 Monterey Avenue; Daniel Benjamin Ryan, 2218 Fernwood Road; Charles Augustus Thomas, 2314 Fernwood Road; Louisa Creighton, 433 Powell Street; Thomas B. Veitch, 546 Chambers Street; Janet E. Thomas, 2733 Turner Street; John William Mercer, 418½ Bidwell Street; Patrick Wm. William Dempster, 606 Flagard Street; Samuel Henson, 833 Cecilia road; Mary McKennie, 140 Joseph Street; John Morley Newcombe, 616 Caledonia Avenue; Calvin Collins, 804 Cowper Street; Fred M. McGregor 2126 Granville Street, Victoria; Frederick Paulin, 963 Madison Street; Henry Creasey, 1144 Balmoral Street; George Beck, 1311 Minto Street; Alice May Veitch, 540 Dunedin Street; George A. A. Hebden, 1773 Lillian Road; George William Little, 1175 Hampshire Road; George Joseph Brady, 51 Moss Street; Ruby Marguerite Bird, 462 Hillside Avenue; Joshua Smith, 1317 Arm Street; Henry Wilson, 638 Spring Field Avenue; Edward William Merchant, 400 Hillside Avenue; Elizabeth M. Davidson, 817 Pine Street; Margaret Hurst, 819 View Street; Mark Wilson Graham, 2653 Fernwood Road; Arthur Edmund Zinzebich M. Davidson, 817 Pine Street; 118 Douglas Street; John McKay, 1092 Bay Street; Robert McKay, 181 Birch Street; Ferdinand Jones, 39 Niagara Street; Thomas Walker, 2713 Fernwood Road, George Henry Brown, 423 Helmcken Street, Harold Thirwall, 1036 Oliphant Street; John M. McDonald, 1326 Pinlayson Street, William Crichton, 423 Powell Street; George William Caulk, 1884 Hollywood Crescent; Laura Bond, 1128 Cullinan Street; Jane C. Colbraith, 568 Rithet Street; Cecilia Spotford, 1642 Pembroke Street; Charlotte E. McLaren, 624 Linden Avenue; Cecilia Harrison, 1773 Balmoral Road, Jessie Jane Roddick, 1718 Blanchard Avenue; Nora Beaton Pellch, 528 Simcoe Street, Beatrice McKenzie, 1422 Gladstone Avenue; Robert A. C. Dewar, 1218 Johnson Street; Grace E. Sargent, 1516 Vining Street; Fred Sandiford, 1133 Richmond Avenue; Marjorie Guerin, 1751 Haultain Street; Ruth Bradshaw, 3065 Albany Road; Maud Ann Grant, 71 Linden Avenue; Alice Catherine Nickerson, 2236 Windsor Road; Kate Taylor, 1388 Monterey Avenue; Robert Dinsdale, 3012 Quadra Street; William McRae Lawrence, 822 Island Road; Jessie Ruledge, 1183 Pandora Avenue; Susan K Pearson, 147 South Turner Street. Also Theresa Kay, 1721 Richmond Avenue; David Richard Gourlay, 1202 Mason Street; John William Spack, 668 Niagara Street.

Says B.C. Gave Recommendation To Dr. Langsner

EDMONTON, Feb. 15.—Questioning the accuracy of the statement made in the Legislature this session by Attorney-General F. J. Lymburn that Dr. Langsner alleged Viennese criminologist, had been employed on the recommendation of the British Columbia Provincial Police, Colonel C. Y. Weaver Edmonton precipitated in a letter debate on the subject in the Legislature yesterday afternoon.

Colonel Weaver's letter, a letter from the Attorney-General of British Columbia containing a letter addressed to that official from Superintendent McMullen, of the British Columbia Provincial Police, declarting that "no recommendation whatever was made concerning Dr. Langsner." Speaking in the absence of the Attorney-General, Premier Brownlee defended the Government. The recommendation was made, or, if he said and it became a matter of the veracity of the two police superintendents involved.

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		1 Tin Pure Strawberry Jam, 4 lbs.; 1 Tin Orange Marmalade, 4 lbs.	98c

New Smyrna Figs, 3 lbs.	25c
Large California Prunes, 30-40 size. Special, 3 lbs.	32c
Kellogg's All-Bran	19c
Choice Red Coho Salmon, 1/2-lb. tins, 2 for	20c
Libby's Asparagus tips, 1 lb. square tins	29c
Blue Ribbon Tea, lb.	59c
Ogilvie's Quick-Cooking Oats, 20-lb. sack	$1.08
Beehive Corn Syrup, 5-lb. tin, regular 45c, for	36c
5 Tins Heinz Tomato Soup, 1 Bottle Ketchup and 2 Tins Heinz Prepared Spaghetti for	98c
Jif Soap Flakes, per pkt.	19c
Rinso 4 packets for	25c
Clean Washing Soda, 3 packets for	25c
Spit Peas, 3 lbs. for	23c
Dry Green Peas, 3 lbs.	19c
Pearl Barlay, 4 lbs. for	25c
Macaroon Snaps, fresh for this special Per lb. 23c, or 2 lbs. for	45c
McCormick's Cream Crackers, Large packet	20c
Vegetized Wafers, a new biscuit, packet	25c
Peek, Frean's Sights of London Biscuits, reg. 60c, for	49c
Molasses Mint Candy, regular 30c lb. for	20c
French Creams, regular 30c lb., for	25c
Weston's Cream Toffee, regular 50c lb., for	40c
Sweet Naval Oranges, 25c dozen, 3 dozen for	64c
Good Baldwin Apples, per box	$1.55
Fresh Rhubarb, bunch	19c
Wineasp Apples, 5 lbs.	35c
Florida Grapefruit, 2 for	25c
Fresh Comb Honey, each	27c
Marmalade Oranges, doz.	35c
New Dates, 3 lbs. for	25c
Imperial Valley Grapefruit, 6 for	25c
Ginger in Syrup, per jar	25c
Turkish Layer Figs, lb.	18c
Nice Juicy Lemons, doz.	17c

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Fresh Head Lettuce, each	10c	Fresh Carrots, 8 lbs. for	25c
Fresh Celery 20c and	15c	Fresh Cauliflower, each	25c
Finest Selected Creamery Butter, per lb., 48c, or 3 lbs. for	$1.42	Finest Quality New Zealand Creamery Butter, 47c, or 3 lbs.	$1.39
Mild Sugar-Cured Breakfast Bacon (piece cut), lb.	32c	Very Mild Cheese, per lb.	30c
Picnic Hams, per lb.	20c	Pure Lard, per lb.	19c
Cottage Rolls, per lb.	29c	Pure Jam, 4 lb. tin	52c
English Potted Meat, lb.	20c	Imported Swiss Gruyere (Tourtons), per box	31c
English Brawn, per lb.	15c	Peanut Butter, per lb.	15c

SPECIAL LOW PRICES ON YOUNG GRAIN-FED PORK, NEW ZEALAND LAMB, STEER BEEF AND VEAL

NEW ZEALAND LAMB		CHOICE YOUNG PORK	
Shoulders, per lb.	22c	Shoulders, per lb.	19c
Loins, per lb.	25c	Loins, per lb.	28c
Legs, per lb.	35c	Legs, per lb.	27c

PRIME STEER BEEF

Prime Ribs of Beef, lb.	30c	Dry, Salt and Fresh Side Pork, per lb.	25c
Pure Pork Sausage, lb.	28c	Pure Pork Sausage, lb.	25c
Rolled Roasts, per lb.	30c	Veal Shoulders, per lb.	25c
Pot Roasts, per lb.	20c	Fresh Pork Spareribs, lb.	20c
Boiling Beef, 2 lbs. for	35c	Minced Beef, 2 lbs. for	35c
Ducks, 4 to 5 lbs., per lb.	35c	Boiling Fowl, per lb.	30c

Livestock Wanted—Phone 5521

Fresh Flounders, per lb.	10c	Fresh-Caught Cod, per lb.	18c
Eastern Haddie Fillets	18c	Fresh Pilfated Cod, lb.	25c

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NURSES' HOME TENDERS SOON TO BE CALLED

Jubilee Hospital Board Learns Specifications Almost Ready—Automobile Casualties Are Bad Payers

NEW SUNROOM FOR T.B. WOMEN

The plans and specifications for the new nurses' home at the Jubilee Hospital are almost ready, and tenders will be called for at an early date, Mr. George McGregor, the president, informed the directors at the monthly meeting last evening.

The Finance Committee, in its report, commented on the difficulty of collecting from persons injured as a consequence of automobile accidents, reporting that about 60 per cent of the bills were uncollectable. That experience, it was said, was general with hospitals since the introduction of automobile casualties, and hospital authorities had not found any satisfactory way of dealing with the matter yet.

The results of the Kiwanis Club Christmas seals campaign was reported. It being stated that $1,000 would be available for the construction and furnishing of a sunroom for the women's tubercular ward. This donation was ordered to be sent with the thanks. The same course was also taken with a letter from Mrs. M. J. Atkins, Dallas Road, forwarding her annual contribution in memory of her husband, the late Mr. William Atkins.

Mr. Kerr (superintendent) reported work done to the value of $3,300, and to this committee's authority was given by the board to purchase a Victor X-Ray machine, with fluoroscopic vision stereoscope, and radium needles, to be used in the hospital by modern needs.

The monthly report for January showed 377 patients treated, for 7,140 hospital days, a record. The nurses worked out at 43.13 per day, or, including nurses' pupils and X-ray service, 57.46 per day.

TRIBUTE PAID TO MR. W. D. CARTER

House Approves Choice of Late Deputy Attorney-General for Vancouver Official Administrator

Occasion was taken yesterday afternoon, in the Legislature, by Mr. A. M. Manson, to express appreciation of the action of the new Attorney-General, Hon. R. H. Pooley, in the transferring of Mr. W. D. Carter, former Deputy Attorney-General, to the position of official administrator in Vancouver.

The matter came up when the bill to amend the Administration Act was in committee, in which there is provision made for the Government placing any official administrator on any city other than being paid by fees only. In reply to Mr Manson (the Attorney-General said that this was for the purpose of dealing with the situation in Vancouver, where a fair salary would be paid.

Mr. Manson expressed his appreciation of the treatment of Mr. Carter, whom he found a most faithful and efficient officer.

The bill passed the committee stage.

The bill to amend the Revenue Act, allowing refunds to be made in cases of error in the departments by certificate of the Minister of Finance, up to the sum of $200 instead of $100, as formerly, then doing away with the passing of an order-in-council for the amount, passed through committee.

Mr. Manson said he felt that it might not be an unalloyed advantage, as he pointed out, that letters were constantly being harassed by financial reasons to favor someone and an individual minister might, as a result of his importunity practised, give way under that, he thought, would.

Mr. T. D. Pattullo felt that if it were to apply to the Minister of Finance there was no reason why it should not apply to other ministers, as otherwise there would be no time or trouble saved, as the other ministers affected would have to be called in by the Minister of Finance.

Announcements

Electrolysis is a branch of its medical profession and is a safe and permanent method for the treatment of facial disfigurements generally. Miss Hannam devotes her time exclusively to this work in which she has had 6 years' experience. 930 Sayward Bldg.

Victoria Musical Festival—Entries now for pianoforte, violin, 'cello, vocal, choral, piano, organ, violin, elocution, folk dancing, recital. Representative to attendance at Fletcher Bros (Victoria) Ltd., 10 a.m. to noon and 2:30 to 4:30 p.m., every day.

Women's Canadian Club, Empress Hotel, Tuesday, February 19, 2.45 p.m. Miss J. Ney: "National Council of Education".

Expert Rug Repairer and Cleaner—Colors matched, patterns woven in. Phone 2919.

Wind Blown—We correctly cut the hair of ladies and gents. Modern Salon, 104 Woolworth Bldg.

City & District

Library Closed Tomorrow—It is announced that the Victoria Public Library will be closed all day tomorrow.

To See Contracts—Mr. Frank E. Walls, member of the contracting firm of Stamer-Hall-Lidinger Company, which has two large contracts here, is in the city from Winnipeg registered at the Empress Hotel.

On Visit Here—Mr. A. D. Brown, president of the Vernon Board of Trade, who with Major P. J. Lipsett, the Rangefield rancher, Lavington, journeyed to the Coast to attend the Western Canada Irrigation convention, came on to Victoria on Thursday.

Swan Wanders—A large white swan was a visitor to the home of Mr. Fred Pratt, Lake Road, Saanich, yesterday morning. The bird took to wing when approached, but soon appeared. It is believed to belong to the city swanbery at Beaver Lake.

To Entertain Late Member—Public recognition of the services rendered to Surrey and the Delta riding, will be made at a banquet to be held next Thursday evening at the Wander Inn Pacific Highway. The Surrey Liberal Association has charge of the arrangements.

Building Permits—Building permits issued of the City Hall yesterday included the following: Pacific Electric Railway Company, for transformer station at 863 Bay Street, $40,000, contractors, Parfitt Bros. to Mr. C. Fletcher, for construction of a four-roomed stucco dwelling at 1745 Carnarvon Street, $3,000; contractor, Mr. J. D. Brown; and to Mr. M. Williamson, for building of garage at 207 Burnside Road, $90.

ANNUAL BUREAU MEETING SOON

PUBLICITY BODY TO CHOOSE 1929 OFFICERS AT LUNCHEON HERE ON WEDNESDAY

Professor J. C. Herbsman, of University of Washington, Will Be Principal Speaker-Guest

The Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau will hold its annual meeting on Wednesday next, in the Board of Commerce. The session will take the form of a luncheon gathering, and will commence at 1 p.m.

Professor J. C. Herbsman, of the faculty of the University of Washington, Seattle, and manager of the Washington State Motor Association, will be the principal speaker and guest. Professor Herbsman has travelled extensively and is a unique position to tell of the value of the constantly increasing tourist business.

Mr. George I. Warren, publicity commissioner, will present the annual report of the bureau, covering its major activities during the past twelve months. The election of 1929 officers will also take place.

HYGIENIC LIVING KEEPS FLU AT BAY

Cause of Disease Not Definitely Known and Public Cannot Be Immunized

During an epidemic most people are anxious to obtain information as to how to protect themselves. There are fewer epidemics now than there used to be because we have learned how to prevent certain diseases which, not so many years ago, were the bane of civilization. Ten early settlers in this country had the sad experience of repeated epidemics of cholera and typhus fever, as the latter disease is called, ships fever or immigrant fever. Typhoid fever, epidemics of typhoid fever were common. These diseases rarely cause epidemics now because our public health organization wages a continuous war against them, providing the necessary equipment with which to fight it is available.

We are not successful in the same measure in preventing epidemics of such diseases as influenza because, we do not know the cause because it not definitely known; nor have we a means of making ourselves immune or resistant to influenza in the way we can, through vaccination, render ourselves immune to smallpox.

All the advice given in regard to influenza is to the effect that it is words Love a hygienic life and you become fit, go to bed and call in your family doctor. This advice is perfectly sound. Our reason for referring to it is that it is important that it be understood that it we are to protect ourselves at the time of an influenza epidemic we must establish and live a hygienic life at all times. We say this because we believe it is practically impossible to alter our mode of living suddenly. We should, for example, begin to wash our hands before eating, we should never put our hands to our faces except to use a handkerchief, we should not put anything into our mouths excepting food and drink or a toothbrush. The reason for these habits is to keep disease germs out of the mouth, the common mode of entrance. Bacillus cannot be suddenly established during an epidemic, unless them at all times and you will do them unconsciously. Keep yourself during and between epidemics, from some of the dangers of infection.

Questions concerning health, addressed to the Health Educational Association, 184 College Street, Toronto, will be answered personally by letter.

The triangle has just done an odd job, and on being asked what he would like naked for a drop of whisky.

The kindly employer handed him his drink with the words "That's another nail in your coffin, my man."

"Well, guv'nor, replied the triangle while you've got the hammer on yer, you might drive in another."

News and Notes of Realty in Victoria and District

By H. D. PATTERSON

The most important turnover during the past two weeks was that of the Empress Hotel, purchased by the Dominion Bank, owned by an English syndicate and purchased by James Maynard at a reputed price of $750,000. This is a very significant sale, as it signifies confidence on the part of a most conservative Victorian in the future of business property in this city. Outside investors, particularly Californians, have for three years past been expressing their opinion as to Victoria's future by picking up upper Yates Street and Fort Street properties, and in quite a few cases lately have realized handsome profits, the buyers this time being local people. The sale made on the addition to the Empress Hotel has called attention to lower Douglas Street, and two Unified Estates interests have been approached for refused offers which would have given them very large profits.

The recent cold snap put a damper on actual sales of residential property, indicating the slowing of property to prospective buyers, but inquiries have become quite brisk again during the last few days. The most important turnover in this class of property was the purchase by one of the local cabinet ministers of the Blair property on the waterfront at Oak Bay. This residence with its two or more acres of grounds, is of massive construction and expensive finish, and occupies a most commanding and magnificent views of islands, sea, mountains and the ever-passing steamer traffic.

The following brokers report sales:

Pemberton & Son—A sixty-foot lot on Broughton Street near the Royal Jubilee Theatre, to a local inventor, five acres and a residence at Elk Lake to a local buyer, a lot on Moss Street to a local builder, and a bungalow of four rooms on Fort Bay Road to Oak Bay to a local buyer, a sixty foot lot on Yates Street between Vancouver and Cook Streets to an English investor, a lot on Linden Avenue to a local business man, who will build a house of seven rooms on Wilmot Place to a newcomer from Colorado, a house of five rooms on Bay Street to a local buyer, a bungalow of six rooms on Monterey Avenue to a local business man, a house of five rooms in the Oaklands district to a local purchaser, a lot on Earl Street and a fine parcel of land on Rupert Street near the Park to local buyers.

Andrews Realty—The Beecroft Nursing Home on Balmoral Road to purchaser from India, Robert Grubb & Co. acted for the owner in connection with this sale.

Hesterman, Forman & Co.—A fine residence of nine rooms on Linden Avenue to a local physician, a five-room bungalow on Oak Bay and a lot off Quadra Street, both to local buyers.

Gillespie, Hart & Todd, Ltd.—A large parcel of residential property at the corner of Rockland Avenue and Richardson, to two local purchasers, both of whom will erect fine homes; a seven room house on Mc-Kenzie Street to a local buyer, and a storage building on Fort Street, Hillside Avenue to a local plastering firm.

W. W. Jones, Ltd.—The Blair residence, as before mentioned, and a fine residential parcel of over one acre on Terrace Avenue to a local resident, who is added to his holdings.

Victoria Realty & Building, Ltd.—Two lots at the Gorge to a local buyer, a lot on North Quadra and one on Yew Street to local purchasers, and a new bungalow of six rooms on Margate Avenue to a resident. This firm has also started the building of a bungalow of four rooms on Yew Street and a bungalow of six rooms on Beach Drive, both for local owners.

The Royal Trust Company—A house of four rooms on Doncaster Street to a local buyer.

P. R. Brown & Sons, Ltd.—A bungalow of five rooms with two lots in the North Quadra district, a lot on North Quadra Street and a house of six rooms on Johnson Street, all to local purchasers.

McInerey, Roe & Co., Ltd.—A semi-bungalow of six rooms on Vancouver Street to a buyer from Montana, a bungalow of four rooms on Monterey Avenue to a man from Saskatchewan, a bungalow of four rooms on Bank Street, a house of five rooms on Lydia Street, and a lot on Heath Drive, all to local buyers.

TROOPS DIE IN RAILWAY WRECK

ENTIRE MILITARY ESCORT ON MEXICAN TRAIN KILLED IN DERAILMENT

Number of Victims Estimated at From Twenty Upwards—Insufficient Information

MEXICO CITY, Feb. 15.—Guadalajara dispatches to Excelsior today state that the train carrying an escort of a passenger train en route to the capital from Yurecuaro, in the State of Michoacan, perished when the train was derailed by attack by insurgents. The engineer and fireman also were killed and two brakemen were injured. The injured are being brought here. The number of soldiers in the train escort was not recorded, a house usually carry from twenty to fifty in armored cars.

The war department today ordered renewed vigilance on all railroad lines to prevent further assaults and also ordered that a scout locomotive precede every passenger train.

It is reported that a revival of Catholic troubles is anticipated by recent substantial increases in orders for hairpins!

Oh! shingles, bobs, and crops
Are passing
For years have caused the men much pain.
But grand and glorious news is
Dawning
"The Hairpin Bis. booms once again!"

Each beautiful true will sing with glee
As bartered wives revert to type,
And they can say, "Please lend to me
A hairpin, love—to clear my pipe!"

"What we want is a candidate who isn't too radical nor yet too conservative; in short, a middle-of-the-road man."

"Then Jimpaine is the man to nominate. He's been a bus driver for years."

SOUND AUCTION BRIDGE

By WILBUR C. WHITEHEAD

The World's Greatest Authority

HAND No. 366

North: ♠Q 8 2 ♥7 6 ♦7 3 2 ♣Q 8 7 5 4

West: ♠10 9 3 ♥K 10 9 8 2 ♦K 9 4 ♣10 6

East: ♠K 7 6 ♥A 9 ♦10 8 6 5 ♣7 3

South: ♠A J 7 4 ♥A J ♦A Q J 9 ♣A K 2

Dealer is the South. West is the proper bidding and play.

In the next hand Mr. Whitehead will explain the salient points in the bidding and play of the above hand. Prepare your chart and compare it with his method.

These hands must not be bid or played "Double Dummy," i.e., as if you all four hands were exposed.

Rules—In recording the Auction, or the play, use "x" for Redbls, "xx" for Redbls—"go" for Diamonds, and "C" for Clubs. Use "NT" for "No Trump." Use "Pass" for double, "REDBLE" for redouble.

THE PLAY

South	West	North	East	Best Lead
1 ♦	Pass	1 ♥	Pass	♥ 3
2 ♦	Pass	2 ♠	Pass	♥ 2
3 ♦	Pass	3 N.T.	Pass	♥ 4
4 ♦	Pass	4 ♠	Pass	♥ 5
5 ♦	Pass	5 N.T.	Pass	♥ 6
6 ♦	Pass	6 ♠	Pass	♥ 7
7 ♦	Pass	7 N.T.	Pass	♥ 8
7 ♦	Pass	7 ♠	Pass	♥ 9
7 ♦	Pass	7 N.T.	Pass	♥ 10
7 ♦	Pass	7 ♠	Pass	♥ J
7 ♦	Pass	7 N.T.	Pass	♥ Q
7 ♦	Pass	7 ♠	Pass	♥ K
7 ♦	Pass	7 N.T.	Pass	♥ A
7 ♦	Pass	7 ♠	Pass	♦ 2
7 ♦	Pass	7 N.T.	Pass	♦ 3
7 ♦	Pass	7 ♠	Pass	♦ 4
7 ♦	Pass	7 N.T.	Pass	♦ 5
7 ♦	Pass	7 ♠	Pass	♦ 6
7 ♦	Pass	7 N.T.	Pass	♦ 7
7 ♦	Pass	7 ♠	Pass	♦ 8
7 ♦	Pass	7 N.T.	Pass	♦ 9
7 ♦	Pass	7 ♠	Pass	♦ 10
7 ♦	Pass	7 N.T.	Pass	♦ J
7 ♦	Pass	7 ♠	Pass	♦ Q
7 ♦	Pass	7 N.T.	Pass	♦ K
7 ♦	Pass	7 ♠	Pass	♦ A
7 ♦	Pass	7 N.T.	Pass	♣ 2
7 ♦	Pass	7 ♠	Pass	♣ 3
7 ♦	Pass	7 N.T.	Pass	♣ 4
7 ♦	Pass	7 ♠	Pass	♣ 5
7 ♦	Pass	7 N.T.	Pass	♣ 6
7 ♦	Pass	7 ♠	Pass	♣ 7
7 ♦	Pass	7 N.T.	Pass	♣ 8
7 ♦	Pass	7 ♠	Pass	♣ 9
7 ♦	Pass	7 N.T.	Pass	♣ 10
7 ♦	Pass	7 ♠	Pass	♣ J
7 ♦	Pass	7 N.T.	Pass	♣ Q
7 ♦	Pass	7 ♠	Pass	♣ K
7 ♦	Pass	7 N.T.	Pass	♣ A

Total Tricks Won

(Record the card led in each trick)

Contract ..... Declarer ..... Opponents

Bonus Score .....

THE BIDDING

South Dealer	West	North	East	Best Bids
1 ♦	Pass	1 ♥	Pass	1 ♦
2 ♦	Pass	2 ♠	Pass	2 ♠
3 ♦	Pass	3 N.T.	Pass	3 N.T.
4 ♦	Pass	4 ♠	Pass	4 ♠
5 ♦	Pass	5 N.T.	Pass	5 N.T.
6 ♦	Pass	6 ♠	Pass	6 ♠
7 ♦	Pass	7 N.T.	Pass	7 N.T.
7 ♦	Pass	7 ♠	Pass	7 ♠

Final Bid ..... Played by .....

Yesterday's Hand as Played by Mr. Whitehead

HAND No. 365

North: ♠A 7 3 2 ♥K 7 6 ♦K J 4 ♣A 8 4
West: ♠K 9 ♥10 7 5 ♦A 8 5 ♣Q 7 3 2 ♣5
North: ♠Q 8 ♥A J 9 ♦10 8 6 ♣Q J 10 9
East: ♠10 5 4 ♥Q 10 9 8 ♦9 7 6 ♣K 7 3

THE BIDDING

South Dealer	West	North	East	Best Bids
1 ♦	Pass	1 ♥	Pass	1 ♦
1 N.T.	Pass	Pass	Pass	1 N.T.

Final Bid: / N.T. Played by South

THE PLAY

(Record the card played in each trick)

South	West	North	East	Best Lead
3 ♦	7 ♠	10 ♠	K ♠	♠ 3
2 ♦	4 ♠	9 ♠	3 ♠	♠ 2
4 ♦	8 ♠	5 ♠	6 ♠	♠ 4
7 ♦	9 ♠	8 ♠	10 ♠	♠ 5
8 ♦	10 ♠	6 ♠	J ♠	♠ 6
9 ♦	J ♠	7 ♠	Q ♠	♠ 7
10 ♦	Q ♠	2 ♠	A ♠	♠ 8
J ♦	K ♠	3 ♠	4 ♠	♠ 9
Q ♦	A ♠	4 ♠	5 ♠	♠ 10
K ♦	2 ♠	5 ♠	6 ♠	♠ J
A ♦	3 ♠	6 ♠	7 ♠	♠ Q
2 ♠	5 ♠	7 ♠	8 ♠	♠ K
3 ♠	6 ♠	8 ♠	9 ♠	♠ A
4 ♠	7 ♠	9 ♠	10 ♠	♦ 2
5 ♠	8 ♠	10 ♠	J ♠	♦ 3
6 ♠	9 ♠	J ♠	Q ♠	♦ 4
7 ♠	10 ♠	Q ♠	K ♠	♦ 5
8 ♠	J ♠	K ♠	A ♠	♦ 6
9 ♠	Q ♠	A ♠	2 ♠	♦ 7
10 ♠	K ♠	2 ♠	3 ♠	♦ 8
J ♠	A ♠	3 ♠	4 ♠	♦ 9
Q ♠	2 ♠	4 ♠	5 ♠	♦ 10
K ♠	3 ♠	5 ♠	6 ♠	♦ J
A ♠	4 ♠	6 ♠	7 ♠	♦ Q
2 ♠	5 ♠	7 ♠	8 ♠	♦ K
3 ♠	6 ♠	8 ♠	9 ♠	♦ A
4 ♠	7 ♠	9 ♠	10 ♠	♣ 2
5 ♠	8 ♠	10 ♠	J ♠	♣ 3
6 ♠	9 ♠	J ♠	Q ♠	♣ 4
7 ♠	10 ♠	Q ♠	K ♠	♣ 5
8 ♠	J ♠	K ♠	A ♠	♣ 6
9 ♠	Q ♠	A ♠	2 ♠	♣ 7
10 ♠	K ♠	2 ♠	3 ♠	♣ 8
J ♠	A ♠	3 ♠	4 ♠	♣ 9
Q ♠	2 ♠	4 ♠	5 ♠	♣ 10
K ♠	3 ♠	5 ♠	6 ♠	♣ J
A ♠	4 ♠	6 ♠	7 ♠	♣ Q
2 ♠	5 ♠	7 ♠	8 ♠	♣ K
3 ♠	6 ♠	8 ♠	9 ♠	♣ A
4 ♠	7 ♠	9 ♠	10 ♠	
5 ♠	8 ♠	10 ♠	J ♠	
6 ♠	9 ♠	J ♠	Q ♠	
7 ♠	10 ♠	Q ♠	K ♠	
8 ♠	J ♠	K ♠	A ♠	
9 ♠	Q ♠	A ♠	2 ♠	
10 ♠	K ♠	2 ♠	3 ♠	
J ♠	A ♠	3 ♠	4 ♠	
Q ♠	2 ♠	4 ♠	5 ♠	
K ♠	3 ♠	5 ♠	6 ♠	
A ♠	4 ♠	6 ♠	7 ♠	
2 ♠	5 ♠	7 ♠	8 ♠	
3 ♠	6 ♠	8 ♠	9 ♠

Women's Activities

Women's Clubs and Societies

Bridge Party

Equimalt Chapter, I.O.D.E., held a bridge and pack jong party yesterday afternoon at Langford by Yates Street, Mrs. C. P. Hill and Mrs. F. H. Wright being general convenors. Mrs. Booth, assisted by Mrs. Crestine, Mrs. T. Cave and Mrs. W. Cave served tea, mainly occupying guests arriving during the tea hour. Among those were Captain and Mrs. Laybourn, Windsor, Mrs. Cantwell, Mrs. Moss, Mrs. Stuart, Mrs. Wheatley, Miss McKinnon, Colonel and Mrs. Dwyer, Mossin, Mrs. E. C. Warren, Mrs. Richards and Mrs. Kynock. The players were Mrs. E. V. England, Mrs. Brooke Stephinson, Mrs Bryant-Sehl, Mrs. H. K. Wood, Miss H. Barker, Miss K. Mulcahy, Mrs. W. Hall, Mrs. A. Poynia, Mrs. G. McKenzie, Mrs. E. W. Hetherington, Mrs. W. A. Cameron, Mrs. H. K. Perry, Mrs. J. H. Emery, Mrs. J. C. Dunoar, Mrs. T. Cussick, Mrs. A. D. Whinter, Mrs. A. Youngman, Mrs. F. MacMaster, Mrs. E. Wyllie, Mrs. Jack McIntyre, Mrs. P. E. Corby, Mrs. Gordon Smith, Mrs. J. S. Brown, Mrs. J. Bergson, Miss Helen McDonald, Miss Margot Homer Liken, Miss Dorothy Wacher, Miss Helen Lyons, Mrs. Cowans, Mrs. Walker, Mrs. Crawford, Mrs. A. Maisner, Mrs. Sidney Wood, Mrs. A. E. Hopkins, Mrs. William Ellis, Mrs. Sannook, Mrs. C. Hudson, Mrs. W. J. Ford, Mrs. G. Lillie, Mrs. E. Albert, Mrs. Sarah, Miss Swan, Mrs. Harnell, Mrs. Hansen, Mrs. T. W. Allen, Mrs. A. Fisher, Miss Dorothy Peden, Miss Doris Allen, Mrs. Catlings, Mrs. A. Bommer, Mrs. A. Watt, Miss Bewell, Miss L. Ogilvie, Mrs. Martin, Mrs. H. B. Kerr, Mrs. B. Zeigler, Mrs. E. H. Butler, Mrs. W. Champion, Mrs. O. C. Clark, Mrs. H. G. Thomson, Mrs. George Deane, Mrs. Bolderts, Mrs. W. Fitzgerald, Mrs. H. J. Schmahl, Miss Enid Maclaren, Miss Browne, Honor, Miss Sybil Fraser, Miss Dorothy Cameron, Mrs. J. Angus, Mrs. Beryl, Mrs. E. O. Price, Mrs. H. Wilson, Mrs. O. Sisman, Mrs. Tolmie, Mrs. W. W. Wilson, Miss G. M. Rayer, Mrs. J. T. Jones, Mrs. P. Ford, Mrs. W. Wilkers, Mrs. W. A. Burnett, Mrs. D. K. Kennedy, Mrs. O. Sommer, Mrs. E. MacIntosh, Mrs. J. Gorman, Mrs. McCoubran, Mrs. H. Hamlet and Mrs. Stewart.

Pensioners' Auxiliary

The Ladies' Auxiliary to the Canadian Pensioners' Association held a successful silver tea on Thursday evening at the association headquarters, 727 View Street. A programme was given in which little Kila Watson contributed a graceful jerky day dance, Grace Ray gave the Highland fling and a toe dance, Cecilia Webster was seen at gypsy and Dutch dances, Mrs. May contributed vocal solos and Prof. Grace Toshmond gave an Irish dance. Mr. Harkness mystified the audience with a number of conjuring tricks. During the evening the president of the auxiliary, Mrs. Morrison, spoke of the aims of the organisation and urged all war widows and wives of disabled ex-service men to join. The next meeting will be held on Thursday, February 28, and all those interested are asked to attend.

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St. Saanich United L.A.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the South Saanich United Church met at the home of Mrs. Deering, Central Saanich Road, on Thursday afternoon. There was a large and interested attendance of members and several visitors were also present. Miss L. Dearing presided during the business session. The minutes of the previous meeting and the treasurer's report were read by Miss Anna Hetzer. Plans were discussed and final arrangements made for the St. Patrick's Day at home cooking and sewing, which will be held in the church on Monday afternoon, March 18. It was decided to continue the affair in the evening, when the young people of the district will be welcomed to spend a social evening. It was decided to send a grant to the ministerial fund of the church, after which the meeting adjourned and several Valentine guessing contests were enjoyed the winners being Mrs. Howe and Miss V. McNally. The hostess of the day was Mrs. Deering, Mrs. L. Hetzer. During the afternoon tea was served by Mrs. Deering, assisted by Misses L. and C. Deering.

St. Matthew's (Langford) W.C.

A very successful waffle tea was held on Thursday afternoon by the members of the Women's Guild at St. Matthew's Church, at the home of Mrs. P. Smedley Mrs. G. Crawford made the waffles, while Mrs. P. Smedley, Mrs. G. Cooney and Miss A. Simpson served tea. Mrs. J. E. Macdonald mangled a cross-stitch embroidered cushion, which was won by Mrs. J. Stephen, while Mrs. A. Cooper was the winner in a Valentine cake competition. Musical selections were provided by Mr. P. Smedley. Georgina Cooney and Dorothy Ford; Mrs. F. A. Sparks, Miss A. Simpson and Margaret Smedley gave a step dance and six girls sang a comic song. Rev. H. C. Matthews, who served a delightful tea.

St. John's (Esquimalt) L.G.

The monthly meeting of the Ladies' Guild of St. John's Church, took place in the Parish Hall on Tuesday afternoon, Mrs. Hewett president. Mrs. M. Garner occupied the chair, the following members being present: Mrs. Haworth, Mrs. Morrison, Mrs. Bishop, Mrs. Howe, Mrs. Wright and Mrs. Hayes.

James Bay Ladies' Aid

The ladies of the James Bay United Church will hold a silver tea at the home of Mrs. R. Palmer, 235 Government Street, on Tuesday, February 19. A programme has been arranged. Mrs. Chave will play Chopin selections and will be assisted by Miss Phillips on the violin.

Women Conservatives

Any members of the Victoria Women's Conservative Association who have not received their membership cards are asked to phone the treasurer, Mrs. C. Hanson, 39738.

Willing Workers' Circle

The Willing Workers' Circle, King's Daughters, will hold its prospective silver tea this afternoon in the reception, Hibben-Bone Building, from 3 to 6 o'clock.

Bethania Branch Auxiliary

At the meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary of Bethania branch last Tuesday evening officers were elected as follows: Mrs. Sheret, president; Mrs. A. Bennett, vice-president; Mrs. C. Dunsdon, secretary, and Mrs. T Dempster, treasurer. Mrs. J. Robinson, president of the women's Foreign Missionary Band, Canadian Legion, was a visitor at the meeting and was presented with a bouquet by Mrs. Sheret. Mrs. Robinson presented Mrs. A. Pearson with a corsage bouquet.

Valentine Tea

This afternoon, the four C.O.L.T. groups of Oak Bay United Church will hold a Valentine tea in the Sunday school rooms of the church. A silver offering will be taken to help the girls meet their allocation for the R.E.B. work of Brandon, Columbia. Each girl decorates and provides refreshments for her own table, as well as assisting in the programme.

St. Columba W.A.

Mrs. Veazie, of Marigold, was hostess at her home for afternoon tea to the members of the Women's St. Columba's Church W.A., Strasbourg Street, on Thursday. Mrs. Deane-Cox read a paper on the study book for the year. The next meeting was fixed for Monday, February 25, when Deaconess Ellacott will give an interesting account of her recent visit to Jerusalem.

Colwood W.A.

The monthly meeting of the Colwood Auxiliary held at the home of Mrs. Wood Hall on Wednesday afternoon was well attended. A buying committee was formed to purchase material for aprons and other goods for a sale of work. At the conclusion of the business meeting the members adjourned to the home of Mrs. Matheson, who served a delightful tea.

Daughters of St. George

The regular meeting of the Daughters of St. George, Lodge No. 1, will be held in Harmony Hall on Monday at 8 sharp, following which a social and dance. All members are requested to attend and bring refreshments.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS CELEBRATE BIRTHDAY OF VICTORIA LODGE

Far West Victoria Lodge, No. 1, K. of P., celebrated the forty-sixth anniversary of the institution of the lodge in Victoria last evening by holding a real old time social. There was a large turnout of the members, including many visiting knights from Vancouver, Duncan and Nanaimo.

A very entertaining programme was provided by the committee in charge, consisting of community singing, addresses, etc. Past Grand Chancellor J. M. Hughes was chairman. The programme was as follows:

Address on "The Crown," P.G.C. J. M. Hughes; address, D. McKay; address, W. J. Wrack; address on "Old-Timers," P.G.C. Chris Hodgson, Vancouver No. 3; recitations, William Bailey; song, H. L. Colbourne; address on "Provincial Priorities of the Order," P.G.C. Alex N. Jackson, Victoria Lodge No. 19, Duncan; song, W. J. Wrack; song, William Bailey; recitation, William Bailey; closing address, "Lodge Topics," P.G.C. A. M. Hodgins; musical selections, Mr. Holt.

After the programme all adjourned to a buffet supper in the banquet hall, which was tastily laid by a dance. The committee included W. J. Carter, J. Lyon and A. A. Hodgins.

On Thursday, March 7, the District Order Knights of Pythias will be given a grand frolic and dance in the Temple Hall, the frolic from 8:30 to 12, and dancing from 9 to 1. A four-piece orchestra will be on hand, and the committee in charge is preparing a special programme of events for the occasion.

Bishop Streatfield Of Lewes, Is Dead

LONDON, Feb. 15.—Right Rev. W. C. Streatfield, Suffragan Bishop of Lewes, in the diocese of Chichester, who was consecrated bishop only a fortnight ago, died suddenly today.

Fossils Win Debate

The Pomella Club team, composed of Messrs. M. B. Maynard and D. J. Macdonald, won from the Civil Service team composed of Miss Marjorie Holmes and Mr. C. Morrison, in a debate on Thursday evening, under the auspices of the Native Sons of Canada, on the following resolution: "Resolved that a distinctive Canadian flag is in the best interest of Canadian nationalism and Canadian foreign trade." The Fossils Club took the affirmative and the Civil Service team the negative. The judges were Messrs. C. H. O'Halloran and G. J. Boulton.

Adventures in Arabia

—By W. B. SEABROOK—

CHAPTER XIV (Continued)

Things began to fall into place my shoulder and the side of the car. I thought they were little stones, but they turned out to be grasshoppers. Hundreds of them came hurtling through clouds of them. They battered the windshield and came in at the side. Those which were stunned by the impact crawled all over us. We frantically brushed them off, we fought them off. They spat tobacco juice. They bit. Christian grasshoppers, but swarmed like Moslem locusts. Suddenly they were gone as suddenly as they came. We had run through them, and left them behind. Katie and I grinned at each other, exhausted and bruised by our quarrel.

Night in the afternoon we came again to the Euphrates. Here and there were pomegranate groves. Less frequently there were irrigated fields of barley, rice and sesame. Suddenly at last, toward five o'clock, at a great bend of the river, far ahead, appeared what seemed a mighty city. We had run through it in the midst of walled parks or gardens. It was Anah with its groves of date palms.

We wound for three miles around the stone walls of the city and finally arrived at the fort, built four-square with towers at the corners, and garrisoned by some twenty native soldiers. We had come to Anah at the night.

Sunset, the garrison was a and young man in a long, dirty dishrag, and bare shoulders, run down at the heel, who greeted us with embarrassed politeness and could be a Damascene who had lived in Paris and speaking fluently. He regarded his present post as an unlucky boring exile, and the mud-anchorly was too deep to be cheered. Mud was the prevailing theme, which would be gone south at dawn. He was acting his heart out with homesickness.

He was the one which spelled loneliness and exile to him was a little paradise to us. Our evening tea was served on a wide roof-top, with two long wooden benches and an iron stove. Katie win a mantelpiece, who made a fire in an hour of the wind, and stood to serve us, as we dined picnic-fashion. It was a glorious sunset, and a cool breeze. It was about ten o'clock when we lay down on the two couches on the roof, with the bright moon overhead, and we were slowly falling asleep when the man who had served us came hurrying to our baggage and bent over it. I sat upright at the sound of petty thievery, but lay still and watched him. He thought we were asleep, but when he picked up two of our hand-boxes and started away with them, I sat up and demanded what he was doing. He said, "There will be a heavy dew on the roof jackals and wild dogs. You need not fear them, but they would tear your baggage to pieces in search of food." I jumped to the side of the pile all our stuff on the top of a veterinary hospital, and I said, "But the wild dogs came, we did not hear them."

Much of the time we had been not flat, monotonous riding over the trailless desert, until we came in midafternoon to the embankments of a Berlin-Bagdad railway, abandoned in construction before the war, with a more recently built motor road paralleling it, which we followed.

I had hoped that our first sight of Baghdad would be its famous golden domes and minarets. Instead it was smoke from the ice factory, but as we got nearer, the domes and minarets appeared, mysterious and beautiful amid palm trees lighted by the slanting rays of the sun and rich with the glamour of old Haroun el Reshid's court and the Tales of the Thousand and One Nights.

Our first clear impression of Baghdad enhanced the romantic quality for we came down the pottery bridge through the purely native quarter of the city on the west bank of the Tigris—along a wide avenue magnificently shaded by palm trees, lined on both sides by coffee shops with hundreds of divans before them, on which sat and reclined thousands of Arabs in long sashed robes, some shaven-pated and barefooted, others in turbans. Here midnight the ghosts of Sinbad and the humpback tailor wander and feel themselves in the Baghdad of other days.

But even we crossed the wide, muddy river and turned into the new street which the British had cut through the centre of the city, romantic dreamers we are was to recognize. Crude frame buildings were everywhere, some with second-story false fronts, garish American motion-picture billboards, last year's Charlie Chaplin and Mae Murray—a cheap modern establishment with signs in English and French, garage yards full of high board fences, and big English signs in box-car letters, make the romantic everywhere mostly illusory. It was like a new American town in the west. And this was Baghdad! Of course it wasn't, but it was a part of our first impression.

We went to the Maude Hotel and were given a comfortable room with a balcony overlooking the river and the modern dreamer

Social and Personal

Personals, Parties Visitors

Progressive Dinner

A number of young people enjoyed a progressive dinner last evening, partaking of each course at a different residence. The hostess for the various courses were Miss Mary Hunter, Miss Elaine Galliher, Miss Rowena Romey, Miss Margot Homer Dixon, Miss Helen Lindsay and Mr. Paul Phillips. Following the last course of the dinner, dancing was enjoyed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay, Uplands. Those invited to the party were Misses Halen Lyons, Enid Margaret McLean, Justa McKenna, Jean Moody, Iris Burton, Kathleen Bone, Margaret Mitchell, Blanche Jordan, Mary Martin, Helen and Margaret Lindsay and Messrs. Arthur Morris, Will Sheret, Leonard Backler, Maurice Humber, Cedric Walker, Keith Cooper, Alan Maclean, Cecil Allen, Donald Maclean, Douglas Hunter, Bud Hocking, George McCann, Jimmy Billingsly, George McMann, J. B. Williams and Nick Vanderfleet.

Shower for Bride-Elect

Miss Margaret Brockington and Mrs. Margaret Heal were joint hostesses at a miscellaneous shower given at the home of Mrs. George Brockington, in honor of Miss Bridy D'Arcy, whose marriage will take place shortly. The many gifts were presented in a prettily decorated hat box, the color scheme being blue and white. The invited guests were Mrs. M Heal, Mrs. J. D'Arcy, Mrs. A. Mercer, Mrs R. Mercer, Mrs. D. Brooks, Mrs. D. Estler, Mrs. G. Brockington and Misses Bridy D'Arcy, Barney Davidson, Margaret Brooks, Lois Rawlings, Margaret Heyworth, Kathleen and Nora Reid, Annie Borrowman, Molly Mercer, Madge D'Arcy, Irene and Margaret Brockington.

L'Alliance Francaise

The meeting of L'Alliance Francaise on Wednesday afternoon was of great interest, as the speaker, Mrs Brian Drake, told most entertainingly of a tour through the Mediterranean, with delightful little sidelights upon the various points of interest, which lost none of their charm in the telling. Madame Halet, in the chair, thanked Mrs. Drake for the pleasure of the afternoon and announced that Mrs. Archibald would probably be the speaker at the next meeting upon a subject to be announced later.

Enjoyable Evening

Mr. and Mrs. George H Bevan entertained a number of their friends on Wednesday evening at their home, 439 Walton Street. During the first part of the evening Mr. Bevan gave an interesting talk on the "Symbol Language of Cards," the remainder being spent in games, singing and dancing. Vocal and piano solos were rendered. The invited guests were as follows: Mr. and Mrs. W T. Thorne, Mr. and Mrs. W T. Thorne, Jr.; Mr. and Mrs. L. Wilkes, Mr and Mrs. Gillis, Mr. and Mrs. J. Ringshaw, Mr. and Mrs. D. Fletcher, Mr and Mrs. E. T. Day, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Trerise, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Moffett, Miss Parks, Mr. Bill Jaffray and others.

To Arrive Tomorrow

Lieutenant-Commander Archer, of the staff of the British Economic Mission, and his wife, the Hon. Mrs. Archer, will arrive tomorrow from Australia, en route to England, and will spend a short time here with their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. R. C Farrow and Miss Murray, Davie Street.

To Hold Bridge Party

A bridge party will be held this evening at 8 o'clock by the Pottery Club, in the restroom of the King's Daughters, Hibben-Bone Building. Mrs. Grute, Miss Jean Roberts and Miss Lothian are conveners, and reservations may be made through them.

Local Boy Graduates

Mr Irvine Blyth, youngest son of Mr. A. P. Blyth, optometrist, has graduated with the degree of Doctor of Optometry from the University of Southern California. He will take the State Board examinations in San Francisco next week.

Luncheon Hostess

Mrs Frank Higgins entertained at a luncheon at the Empress Hotel on Thursday.

Tea at Empress

The Empress Hotel Orchestra will give a special programme during the tea hour at the hotel this afternoon.

Metchosin Socials

Mrs. Jordan is spending a few days visiting in Vancouver.

Mr and Mrs. Smart are visiting Mrs. Smart's sister in New Westminster.

LAKE HILL PARTY

On Monday evening the usual card party will be held under the auspices of the Lake Hill Carpet Bowlers. Refreshments will be served and visitors welcomed.

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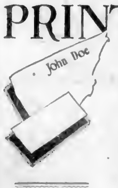

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Heiress Reported Engaged

WITH Mrs. Gloria Vanderbilt en roote to Europe, rumor has it that the widow, who is said to have inherited $7,000,000 from the estate of Reginald Vanderbilt, is to wed Prince Hohenlohe Langenburg, of Wurttemberg. Mrs. Vanderbilt is shown on the right, the prince on the left.—Photographs copyright P. & A. Photos.

Cumberland Socials

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Graham returned to Cumberland on Thursday after spending the past week in Nanaimo.

Mr J. Balagno, of Vancouver, returned to his home after attending the wedding of his sister, Miss Josie Balagno, to Mr. Angus Beaton.

Mr. Blackmore, manual training instructor, left for Vancouver to attend the funeral of his father, Mr E. Blackmore. The late Mr. Blackmore was well known in sporting circles, being in his earlier days a prominent bicycle racer.

Mr. Aubrey Dykes is a patient in the Cumberland General Hospital, the result of a blow-torch, which he was using, exploding.

Mr. Frank Potter has returned to Kamloops after visiting his brother, James, who is seriously ill in the local hospital.

Mrs. West Stockand, of Cumberland, received word on Wednesday of the death in Vancouver of her uncle, Tom Walters, the well-known boxer, and at one time manager of Tommy Moore.

Chemainus Socials

Mr. and Mrs. Grosscup and their small son, who have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. E Koch, have returned to their home in Seattle.

Master Frank Spurling spent the week-end with friends in Victoria.

Mr. E. M. Anketell-Jones and Mr. R. de C. Veal were in Victoria last week as delegates at the Anglican annual synod.

Mrs. John Stewart, of Victoria, is spending a few days with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Stewart.

Mr and Mrs. J. Perry were recent visitors at Shawnigan Lake, being guests at the latter's sister, Mrs. Alexander.

Keating Personals

The friends of Mr Herbert Young, Giles Crossroad, will be sorry to hear that he is a patient in a Victoria hospital, suffering with rheumatic fever.

Mrs. Robart, of Chilliwack, is spending several days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Mosher, Giles Crossroad.

Mrs. Neal, who has been spending several months at the home of her daughter and son-in-law, Mr and Mrs. T Dixon, East Saanich Road, left for her home in England on Thursday. She was accompanied as far as Vancouver by Mrs Dixon and Mrs. C. L Styan, Central Saanich Road who will remain visiting friends for several days.

Fashion Fancies

By Marie Belmont

If you would be smart this season see to it that your sport clothes carry about them some note of masculinity.

In the costume sketched above the jacket provides the touch of severity. It is molded after a man's smoking jacket and is in red, with a black and white band. The skirt is of the side-pleated variety and the drop-stitch jumper is in white.

Langford Social News

Mrs. H. Pike has returned from Ladysmith to her home on the Millstream Road.

Mr. and Mrs. Cudby have left the Langford Poultry Farm and returned to the Prairies.

Mr. and Mrs. James A. Phelps, who have been guests of Mr. and Mrs G. Johnston are returning to their home in Woodstock, Ont.

A very enjoyable card party was held on Wednesday evening in the Women's Institute Hall by the social committee of the institute. There was a very good attendance, with several visitors from Royal Oak. When the supper was served the members of the newly formed social committee were seated at a special table. These included Mrs. J. L. Brown, Mrs. L. G. Wilkinson, Mrs. G. Eldridge, Mrs. A. Cowie, Mrs. A. B. Cuthbertson, Mrs. Bartle and Miss L. Savory. The tables were decorated with carnations, daffodils and tulips. The first prize winners at bridge were Mrs. Dresser and Mrs. J L. Brown (playing gentleman). Mrs. Dack and Mr J. L. Brown received the consolation prizes. At five hundred, Mr and Mrs Reed were highest scorers. Mr and Mrs. Campbell received the consolation prizes.

Courtenay Social News

Mr. E. W E. Blackmore was called to Vancouver on Wednesday, owing to the sudden death of his father.

The following students of the Courtenay Commercial School were successful in passing shorthand examinations by Isaac Pitman & Co: Full theory, Kenneth Forde and Richard Forde; third class, Mirren Thomas, Kathleen Beasley, Margaret Inglish, Marie Peterson, Beth Magnone, Ada Blade, Eileen Clarke and Sybil Bayne. Results of other examinations have not yet been received from Toronto.

Mr R U Hurford, Mr. Morgan Rees and Jim Hurford have returned from Vancouver, where they have been attending the British Columbia Dairymen's Convention. Mr. Hurford has been re-elected on the executive of the Provincial Dairymen's Association.

Mr. George Brethour is seriously ill at St Joseph's Hospital in Victoria. Mrs. Brethour and family are now at their old home at Sidney.

Rev G. L. Bourdillon, Mr W P. Beavan and Mr Heber Cooke have returned after attending the Anglican Synod in Victoria.

Mr. and Mrs Lloyd Oeldt have been spending a few days in Vancouver.

Mrs Alice Buck has returned from a few days' visit to Vancouver.

A good number of Courtenay residents attended the reunion on Denman Island at the beginning of the week, when 400 people of the district spent a most enjoyable time.

Sayward Personals

Mr E. E. Gark, of Sayward, left on last Wednesday's boat on a trip to Vancouver.

Mrs. Lily Henry left Sayward on Saturday for Vancouver, where she has been visiting her parents for three weeks. She was accompanied by her sister, Miss Nancy Henry.

The district nurse, Mrs E M Walls, has been exceptionally busy in the valley the last two weeks, as most of the children from both schools have been ill with severe colds.

Colwood Personal

Mr and Mrs. C Gummenson and child of Cabri, Sask., are visiting Mr and Mrs E. Bristow, Metchosin Road.

Weddings

LABERGE—McKILLIGAN

NANAIMO, Feb 15.—Last evening a quiet but pretty wedding was solemnized in the Presbyterian manse, when Edna McKilligan of Victoria, was united in holy bonds of matrimony to Mr Charles Laberge, of Sooke. Rev. J. McTurk performed the ceremony. The bride was attended by Miss Betty Marr, of Robson Street, and the groom was supported by Mr William Marr. They will spend their honeymoon on the Island, after which Mr and Mrs. Laberge will take up their residence in Sooke.

Sidney Personals

Mrs. H. Frances and baby have returned to their home in Victoria after spending the past week as the guest of relatives, Mr and Mrs. R Fike, Third Street.

Mrs. Gordon Dickson and Miss Jean Yorston, of Victoria, were guests over the week-end of Mrs. Dickson's sister, Mrs. J. J. White, Second Street.

Mrs. Marsden, from the Ashcroft district, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Blythe, Marine Drive.

Miss Kate Hill, of Victoria, has returned home after spending a few days as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. George Hill, Fifth Street.

Messrs. Roy Pearson and Bill Lidgate left on Friday on an extended motor trip to Port Alberni.

Miss Annie McRae, of Pincher Creek, Alberta, is spending a couple of months at Sidney, and is the guest of her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. William Lane, Third Street.

Mr. Tom Woods, of Vancouver, is making an extended stay in Sidney and is the guest of relatives, Mr. and Mrs. D Craig, Fourth Street.

Mr. Ashley Gilman left on Wednesday to spend a few days visiting in Vancouver, en route for Perdu, Sask., where he will make an extended stay.

Mrs. J. Gilman, Amelia Avenue, is spending a few days visiting friends in Vancouver.

Valentine Dance

In the Normal School gymnasium, which was gaily decorated by the student body, was held an informal programme dance last evening. The patrons were Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Maclaurin, Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Denton and Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Freeman. The music was supplied by the college boys' orchestra, conducted by Ernie Code. Supper was served in the lunch room at 10.30 o'clock. In the school's social work this was considered the greatest success this term. The dramatic society of the school will present three fine stage presentations next Friday, which are being directed by Mr. C. B. Woods. Tickets are available from the students.

Somenos Social News

Mr. Philips, of Victoria, is visiting Mr. and Mrs John Baker, of Herd Road, for several days.

Mr. and Mrs Hargin, Jr., have been visiting Mr and Mrs. Hargin, of Island Highway. They will leave next week for the Prairies, where they reside.

Mr. and Mrs H Cates, of Portland, after visiting several days with friends at Westholme, left on Saturday for home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Neal, of Seattle, were spending the week-end in Westholme with friends.

Jordan River News

Mrs. F Saegar is visiting relatives in California.

Mr J. Linos is spending a few days in Victoria.

Mrs. F C. Rumsby has returned from Seattle.

Mr W Ledingham is at present visiting in Victoria.

Gibbin's Road Personal

Mr Gordon Smith left this week for Edmonton, Alta., where he expects to remain for some time.

NAVY LEAGUE AUXILIARY MEETS

The annual meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary to the Navy League was held yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs B H. Tyrwhitt Drake, Belmont Avenue, the president, Mrs. Drake, presiding. In her address, Mrs. Drake outlined the work of the auxiliary, which in spite of its youth, had begun to make itself known in the community and had been active in working for its objects. The members had assisted with the Navy League tag day and had been present at the Trafalgar Day service at the Cenotaph. The membership was steadily increasing, she said.

The efforts of the auxiliary this year will be devoted towards raising a fund for the building of a hall for the Sea Cadets, who at present met on two evenings a week at the Drill Hall by permission of the provincial police. Mothers of Sea Cadets were urged to join the auxiliary.

After the reading of the reports by the secretary and treasurer, Mrs. J Hebden Gillespie, founder of the Ladies' Auxiliary, gave an address in which she stated that Great Britain owed her strength in a large extent to her sea power. This influence had been the vital force in connection with the rise and fall of empires throughout the ages, and she hoped that Canada would do her share in the strengthening of the Empire's navy. The president thanked Mrs. Gillespie for her address.

The following officers were elected: Honorary president, Miss Helen Mackenzie; honorary first vice-president, Mrs. Walter Nichol; president, Mrs B H T. Drake; first vice-president, Mrs Muskett; second vice-president, Mrs P F Curtis; secretary, Miss Hope Hodges; treasurer, Mrs. H. Niven; standard bearer, Mrs. R. V. Robinson, Sea Cadets' secretary, Mrs. E R Alcock. Councillors were elected as follows: Mrs Hotham, Mrs Laird, Miss King, Mrs Thorpe-Doubble and Mrs. Hoffman.

Tea was served by the hostess after the meeting.

METCHOSIN, Feb. 15.—A meeting was held at the vicarage on Thursday evening to form a badminton club. Club days will be Tuesdays and Fridays, from 7 to 10 o'clock, to start on Tuesday next, Feb 19. Rev H M Bolton is the secretary. All wishing to join should communicate with him.

Women's Institutes of Vancouver Island

METCHOSIN

At a directors' meeting of the Metchosin Women's Institute conveners were chosen as follows: Public health and child welfare, Mrs. Taylor, education and better schools, Mrs. Milne, publicity and national events, Mrs McVicker, community betterment and visiting, Mesdames Witty, Helgesen and Taylor.

Several alterations in the prize list for the annual bulb and flower show were made, the principal one being that all children's classes will be open for boys and girls. Prizes will be given for the best constructed bird houses and hanging baskets, which may be sold afterwards, and for best arranged bowl of flowers for table decoration and best pot of growing bulbs, in the children's classes. At the next meeting, on March 6, all members are invited to bring a guest. Mrs. Grute will bring an exhibit of pottery and will speak on "The Possibilities of the Pottery Industry." Miss Emily Carr, the well-known artist of Indian scenes and work, will exhibit some of her work and will also give a short talk.

COBBLE HILL

The monthly meeting of the Cobble Hill Women's Institute was held in the institute room on Thursday afternoon. Mrs. C. Wace, president, was in the chair and nine members were present. The health unit plan as outlined by the superintendent of Women's Institutes was discussed, but decision was laid over till the next meeting. The sum of $44 was voted to the Solarium and $25 as the institute's share in installing a heating plant in the hall. Mrs W Campbell was tea hostess.

COLWOOD

The regular monthly meeting of the Women's Institute will be held at the home of Mrs. R. Murray, Albert Head Road, on Wednesday next at 2.30 p.m. Members wishing transportation are asked to be at "Nightingale" at 2.15 p.m.

SAYWARD

The Sayward Women's Institute held its monthly meeting at the Community Hall on February 7. The meeting was opened with the members singing the Women's Institute ode, Mrs. J. B. Howes at the piano. Most of the business was left over until the next monthly meeting, as there were very few members present, owing to the very bad weather which prevailed in the district at the time. Tea was served at the close of the meeting by Mrs. B. Dyer and Mrs. R. Duncan.

Veteran Dies

VANCOUVER, Feb 15.—Regimental Sergeant-Major Fred Eyre, D.C.S., aged fifty-eight, a veteran of Burma, the South African War and the Great War, died Thursday in Shaughnessy Military Hospital. The deceased served in the 19th Yorkshire Battalion in the South African War and was decorated for gallantry after the Battle of Paardeberg. In the Great War he served with the C.A.S.C.

LAKE HILL MASQUERADE

About two hundred guests attended the masquerade dance held in Lake Hill Community Hall on Wednesday evening and there were a great many in costume representing various characters and nationalities. The judges were Mrs. Dorothy Wilson, Miss Fisher and Mr. J. P. Land. Prizes were awarded as follows: Best dressed lady, Miss A. Richardson, harem lady; best dressed man, Mr. J. Stark, John Bull; best original, Mr and Mrs F Toms, as Indians; best advertising, Mrs. F. Welsh as Aunt Jemima; Mr. Knott, Times comic strip; comic, Mrs. Aldridge, "That's My Weakness Now"; Mr Welsh, as a colored vamp. Special prize, Mr George Mitchell, as "Man From Cook's."

DANCE AT QUALICUM

QUALICUM BEACH, Feb. 15.—The members of the Qualicum Beach Branch of the Canadian Legion held a very successful Valentine dance on Thursday. There was a good attendance. The Novelty Five Orchestra provided the music.

Mrs. John A. Stewart Not to Be Candidate For Dominion House

MONTREAL, Feb. 15.—Mrs. John A Stewart, of Perth, Ont., informed The Montreal Gazette last evening that she has no intention of being a candidate for the Dominion Parliament. This statement was made in reference to a report appearing in The Ottawa Citizen to the effect that she was likely to be the Conservative candidate for Lanark.

Politics are barred in the Imperial Order Daughters of Empire, of which Mrs. Stewart is national president.

REV. DR. MOORE IS TO SPEAK HERE AT END OF FEBRUARY

Rev. T A. Moore, D.D., of Toronto, general secretary of the United Church of Canada, is making a western tour in the interests of the church. Dr. Moore will be in Victoria for February 27. He will hold a conference with the ministers of the United Church at 4.30 o'clock, in Metropolitan Church and address a public meeting at 8 p.m., in the First United Church. He will speak on the work of the United Church and on the spiritual objective launched by the recent general council.

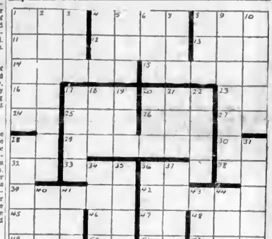
HIGH SCHOOL CIRCUS ATTRACTS ON OPENING NIGHT

Last evening a large crowd attended the Victoria High School's annual circus, held in the gymnasium of the school. Probably the events which attracted the most interest were the illuminated club swinging by Sergeant-Major Frost, of the P.P.C.L.I.; the gymnastic display by the Senior Leaders' Corps of the Y.M.C.A., under the direction of Archie McKinnon; the comedy basketball game by members of the V.H.S. senior basketball team, who were dressed in the regalia of the Edmonton Grads, ladies' championship basketball team; and the Japanese fencing display given by the Dashi Kai Society. Numerous sideshows under the supervision of the staff attracted the spectators after the gymnasium display.

Other features of the programme included: Opening march by Piper Cameron; stick dance by group of high school girls; drill by girls of high school; pierrette solo dance by Miss Shotbolt; unusual dance by group of girls, headed by Miss Miller, physical instructress at Victoria High School; boxing exhibition by high school boys.

Dancing was indulged in by a large crowd later. The whole performance will be repeated tonight.

The Daily Cross-Word Puzzle



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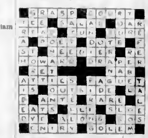
4. God of war.
8. Chart.
11. Exist.
12. Christmas.
13. Mohammedan dignitary.
14. Swift.
15. Stringed instruments (plural).
16. Hebrew month.
17. Not many.
20. Seed-bearing vessel.
23. New England State (ab.).
24. Note of the scale.
25. Reverential fear.
26. Openings.
27. Deposit account (ab.).
28. Southern State (ab.).
29. Leased.
30. Ourselves.
32. Indefinite article.
33. Snake-like fish.
36. Card game.
38. Myself.
39. Give a name.
42. Fruit made famous by William Tell.
45. Period of time.
46. In the Christian era (ab.).
47. Southern State (ab.).
48. Color.
49. Japanese coin.
50. Continent (ab.).
51. Wing of a house.
52. Affirmative.

DOWN
1. A twenty-fourth part.
2. Inhabitant of part of Asia.
3. Corded fabric.
4. Cuckoo.
5. Pole.
6. Wriggly fish.
7. Cunning.
8. Deface.
9. Something to be done.
10. Turkish general.
17. Passage money.
18. Female sheep.
19. Protuberance.
20. Vessel.
21. Swedish coin.
22. Flat surface at base of a wall.
28. Entrances.
31. Sows.
34. Mad dash.
35. Mother of Castor and Pollux.
36. Wash.
37. Precious stone.
40. Anger.
41. A color.
43. Peer into.
44. American general.



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ALLOWAY LEFT TO OWN FATE

Tow Line Between Freighter and Coastguard Cutter Chelan Parts After Rescue of James L. Posey

VESSEL IS BRANDED NAVIGATION MENACE

SEATTLE, Feb. 15.—Hampered by a fog that hung low today over the dangerous rocks of Unimak Pass, Alaska, the coast guard cutter Chelan was reported in radio dispatches late tonight to be still searching for the drifting Alloway, a new "short ship" of the Arctic.

Today the Alloway was broadcast as a menace to shipping in a radio message to the headquarters of the coast guard here. Unmanned as she is, skipping men were disinclined to say where she would drift. At the request of the underwriters, the Alloway will be towed to Dutch Harbor, Alaska, should she be relocated by the Chelan.

The Alloway was continuing her lonely cruise of the North Pacific after the thrilling rescue by the United States coast guard cutter Chelan of James L. Posey, an oiler, who remained behind when his shipmates of the Alloway were taken on by the steamer Montauk three days ago.

The story of the rescue of Posey was told in a message to the Associated Press from Captain Ralph Waldo Dempwolf commander of the Chelan. This message, dated February 14, follows.

"Heroic rescue of Posey, oiler of the ill-fated Alloway, by the Chelan today, was accomplished by a surf boat from the Chelan in charge of Executive Officer Lieutenant-Commander John Trebes and manged by ten members of the boat crew who volunteered to make the hazardous trip.

OILER'S MIND SOUND

"Arriving alongside, they found Posey alive and well and not mentally unbalanced as at first reported. Great difficulty was encountered in getting Posey from the Alloway as the decks and side of the ship had been splattered with fuel oil, which had been used to calm the seas. The remainder of the Alloway's crew had been taken off by the Sc. Montauk Tuesday night in a howling southeast gale. The Montauk's bottom had parted and the ship collided with the Alloway as she drifted for the breakers off Akutak Island, this island is uninhabited and rises only of the sea 1,000 feet.

"As the seas subsided the Chelan anchored close to the Alloway and the hawser was run, with difficulty, to the Alloway. It was hoped to tow the Alloway to safety in Dutch Harbor, but an hour later, after getting under way with the unwieldy ship, which had no steam and no means of steering, the hawser parted in the thick fog and the Alloway was lost and is now adrift and dangerous to navigation. (signed) Commander Dempwolf."

NO STEAM RAISED

In his reports to coast guard headquarters here, Commander Dempwolf further explained that efforts had been made to get steam up on the Alloway, but her boilers and auxiliaries were completely out of commission due to previous use of salt water.

Posey, Commander Dempwolf said, explained he had refused to get off the ship because he thought he had a better chance for life if he stayed on board. At the time the remainder of the crew were taken off waves thirty-five feet high were dashing over the ship, tossing lifeboats around like corks. The Alloway was anchored, and although there stern almost brushed the rocks as she swung in the storm, Posey said he felt safer where he was.

GULF ISLANDS SERVICE

Now affective, the steamer Otter leaves for the Gulf Islands on Mondays, Wednesdays and Thursdays, at 7.15 a.m. The steamer Charmer leaves for Vancouver via the Gulf Islands on Tuesdays at 11 a.m.

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ENGINEER RUNS OVER BIG WOLF

NINETY-POUND ANIMAL IS CHASED BY ENGINE NEAR NORTH BAY, ONT.

Pilot of Locomotive and Fisher in Hands of Confederate Finish Off Killer

NORTH BAY, Ont., Feb. 15.—William G. Wardle, C.P.R. engineer, is exhibiting the carcass of a timber wolf as a trophy of a chase early in the morning between the animal and a C.P.R. light engine. Weighing ninety pounds, the wolf is one of the largest ever bagged in this district.

The engine, in charge of Conductor Walling and his fireman M. Lafontaine at the throttle, was proceeding north from Nipissing Junction. As it rounded the curve the train crew saw the wolf on the tracks a short distance ahead. The engineer opened up the throttle and the wolf was hit by the pilot steps. Conductor Walling ran back and killed the animal with a poker.

Ss. Massmar Leaves With Lumber Cargo

With 600,000 feet of lumber and lath loaded for Boston at the C.P.R. mills in Port Alberni, the steamer at Chemainus at 12.30 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

The freighter arrived here from Port Alberni at 9 o'clock Thursday morning in command of Captain F. Fitzgerald.

Navigation Bridge Ready

WINNIPEG, Feb. 15.—The Canadian Pacific Railway has announced that the new bridge across Surprise Creek on the main slope of the Rockies, in British Columbia, will be ready for service on Monday, February 18. All freight and passenger traffic will be handled over the main line instead of by the Canadian National and the rails of neighboring companies.

Pacific-Atlantic Record

CAPTAIN Frank M. Hawks, in a 400-horsepower Lockheed monoplane, shattered the transcontinental nonstop flight record of eighteen hour plus, when he flew from Los Angeles to Roosevelt Field, New York from Los Angeles. The previous record was set by Colonel Art Goebel. Hawks, in telling the story of his trip, decided that twice he thought it was "all up." Once when above the clouds at 15,000 feet his engine went dead. One gas tank had gone dry. It was remedied in less than thirty seconds. He states that he flew all the way across the continent with clouds so thick beneath him that he didn't know where he was. The picture shows the monoplane in which Hawks broke the record and in the inset is Captain Frank M. Hawks.

Ocean and Coastwise Movements

VESSEL MOVEMENTS

SEATTLE, Feb. 15.—Arrived Edward Luckenbach, Los Angeles, Tacoma, Los Angeles, Tacoma—Caddesdale, Seattle, Victoria, Bellingham, Port Angeles, Victoria, Bellingham, San Francisco, Seattle—Prince Rupert, Seattle—President Jackson, Sailing Sunday, Northwest, Seattle—President Grant, President Jefferson, Sailing Sunday, Seattle—Sakai Maru, Oakland, Shanghai—Edward Luckenbach, Los Angeles, Tacoma—Prince Rupert, Britannia Beach—Golden Cloud, Seattle, Victoria—Prince Rupert, Port Angeles, Victoria.

PORTLAND, Feb. 15.—Arrived J. A. Moffett, Admiral Sebree, Tacoma—Benjamin Franklin, Orfanes R. McCormick, Balboa—Sailed Feb. 14—Ohio, Seattle—Sailed Feb. 15—Los Angeles, Bellingham, Seattle, Shanghai.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 15.—Arrived Tacoma Maru, Bona Keon, Jacob, San Pedro, Makali, Tacoma—Sailed—President Monroe, Seattle—Sailed Feb. 14—President Madison, Oakland—President Polk, Seattle, Honolulu, Latin Tacoma, Admiral Sebree, San Pedro, President McKinley, Manila, Pennsylvania, Seattle, Seattle, Anchorage, Ladysmith, Port Wells.

Arrived

NORFOLK, Feb. 15.—Sculpsnoot Yarmouth—Arrived 14—United Kingdom, Glasgow, Vancouver, and sailed for United Kingdom.

NEWCASTLE, Feb. 14.—Golden Cross, Seattle, and San Francisco.

BALTIMORE, Feb. 15.—City of Rome, Mediterranean, Feb. 14—City of Rome, Cuba, Gulfport, Feb. 14—Cuba, Gulfport, Cuba, Gulfport, Feb. 14—Cuba, Gulfport, Cuba, Gulfport, Feb. 14—Cuba, Gulfport

ACTIVITIES OF CHAMBER ARE RELATED

Organization's Case for Interchange Switching Facilities on Reserve Here Proves Successful

CITY'S FUTURE AS GRAIN PORT

The major activities of the Victoria Chamber of Commerce during the past three months, and the progress which the organization was achieving in projects which will benefit Victoria and the southern end of Vancouver Island, were reviewed yesterday in the directors' quarterly report, at the luncheon meeting of the Chamber of Commerce, over which President P. B. Fowler presided.

Mr. George I. Warren, managing secretary of the chamber, read the statement of the directors to the meeting, and the report was adopted with hearty applause.

The directors' report was as follows:

INTERCHANGE SWITCHING

"Perhaps the most outstanding accomplishment of this organization since your last quarterly meeting is the final presentation by Mr. R. J. Mayhew of the interchange switching facilities case, which resulted in the Board of Railway Commissioners issuing an order to the Canadian National Railways and the Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway to provide interchange switching facilities between the two railway lines at some point on or near the Industrial Reserve. The thanks of the organization are due to Past President C. P. Schwengers, R. W. Mayhew and the other members of the committee who worked so hard in their endeavor to secure a favorable decision from the board. For many years the Chamber of Commerce has endeavored to have the railway companies provide the interchange, and at last the railway commission has given the necessary order.

OCEAN HIGHWAY

"Another project of great importance to the development of this city is the proposed extension of the Ocean Highway from the present terminus at Jordan River to Clo-oose, Bamfield and Port Alberni, along the West Coast of Vancouver Island. Mr. Claude Harrison, the chairman of the Ocean Highway committee, has been most active in securing evidence to present to the Provincial Government as to the reasons why the Ocean Highway should be completed at an early date. At the present time the Government has the whole matter under consideration; it is hoped that the Government will proceed with the work. At a recent meeting of the executive of the Associated Boards of Trade of Vancouver Island, held at Nanaimo, your president, together with Mr. Harrison, acting jointly for the Victoria Chamber of Commerce, the Sidney Board of Trade and the Esquimalt Board of Trade, succeeded in having the executive of the associated boards include the Ocean Highway in part as one of its recommendations to the Government for favorable consideration.

PORT DEVELOPMENT

"Your port committee, under the active chairmanship of Captain J. W. Troup has made a careful study of the needs of the port; conferences have been held with the members of the Ottawa Government, Mr. J. P. Forde, Government engineer, and with the industrial committee of the City Council. The recommendations of the committee have been approved by the board of directors and have been presented to the Dominion Government. The Canadian Pacific Railway Company has informed this committee that an electrical conveyor will shortly be installed on the docks in the inner harbor, which will facilitate and speed up the discharge of freight handled at these docks.

"The retail merchants' section has given considerable attention and consideration to the Early Closing By-Law and the proposed Sign By-Law, recommendations regarding which have been duly forwarded to the City Council.

INDUSTRIAL SURVEY

"Under the direction of the industrial group an industrial survey of the city is now being made.

"The tourist trade group has held several regular meetings and members of that group are assisting in the entertainment of Winter visitors from the Prairie at the Crystal Garden.

"A luncheon was tendered to the officials of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company and the officers of the Ss. Princess Norah on her arrival here from the Old Country. This vessel has every modern convenience and will soon commence a regular service between Victoria and points on the West Coast of Vancouver Island.

"The junior chamber has held regular meetings and a committee from that branch has again published the official magazine, Chamber Chatter, a copy of which is mailed each months to every member of the chamber.

"Special committees co-operating with the Real Estate Board of Victoria have made a study of the problems of the cleanliness of the beaches adjacent to the city, and have submitted their recommendations to the City Council. The same procedure was followed with regard to the holding of band concerts more frequently in the Summer.

GRAIN SHIPMENT

"The first shipment of grain from this port left on the Kofuku Maru on February 13 and is consigned to Greece. It is hoped that the handling of this first cargo of grain will demonstrate the possibilities which Victoria will offer as a grain port and that in the future considerable volume of grain export business will be handled here.

"In conclusion your directors wish to express their thanks to the many firms and individuals who have given loyal support to the board in the past, and to express the hope that the efforts of our organization this year will meet with success."

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3 lbs. for $1.38
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3 lbs. for 55¢
Selected Quality Side Bacon, per lb. 42¢

BISCUIT SPECIAL
Weston's Demonstration Package of best assorted Biscuits. Dollar Day at, per package 34¢
3 for $1.00

Seal of Quality Peameal Back Bacon, per lb. 45¢
Marbloe Sliced Ayrshire Roll, per lb. 36¢
Swift's Premium Side Bacon, per lb. 56¢
Shamrock Brand Side Bacon, per lb. 51¢
Prime Old Canadian Cheese, per lb. 40¢
Shamrock Brand Hams, half or whole, per lb. 36¢

CANNED VEGETABLE SPECIAL
2 Tins Quaker Brand Corn, 2 tins Quaker Tomatoes, 2 tins Early June Peas, and 1 tin Quaker Refugee Beans. All for $1.00

Kraft Canadian Cheese, lb. 43¢
Canadian Stilton Cheese at, per lb. 40¢
Ripe Gorgonzola Cheese at, per lb. 45¢
Sliced Baked Ham, per lb. 65¢
Sliced Roast Pork, per lb. 75¢
Sliced Corned Beef, per lb. 30¢
Sliced Chicken and Ham Loaf, per lb. 45¢
Sliced Ham Loaf, per lb. 40¢
Sliced Pressed Beef, lb. 50¢
Sliced Veal Loaf, per lb. 40¢

TEA AND COFFEE SPECIAL
1 lb. Our Special Breakfast Tea and 1 lb. Our Imperial Blend Freshly Roasted Pure Coffee for $1.00

Our Economy Blend Black Tea, per lb. 45¢
Our Ceylon Broken Orange Pekoe Tea, per lb. 65¢
3 lbs. for $1.90
Our Freshly Roasted Pure Coffee, per lb. 45¢
Fancy Quality Pink Salmon, 7 large tins for $1.00
Campbell's Tomato Soup, 9 tins for $1.00
Le Parfait Brand Pure Castile Soap, per bar 21¢
5 bars for $1.00

CANNED FRUIT SPECIAL
1 Tin Del Monte Hawaiian Sliced Pineapple, No. 1½ squat tin; 1 No. 2 tin California Apricots; 1 No. 2 tin Del Monte Sliced Peaches, and 1 No. 2 tin Del Monte Fruits for Salads. All for $1.00

Quaker Brand Canned Ripe Tomatoes, 7 large tins $1.00
8 Packages Seal of Quality Jelly Powders, assorted flavors, and 1 tin Bird's Custard for $1.00
King Beach Pure Strawberry Jam, 4-lb. tin 68¢
Empress Brand Pure Orange Marmalade, 4-lb. tin 58¢
1 Large Tin Gold Medal Malt, 1 large package Hops, 3 lbs. Brown Sugar, and 2 Fleischmann's Yeast. All for $1.00

CANNED FISH SPECIALS FOR THE LENTEN SEASON
1 Tin Herring in Tomato Sauce, 1 tin Lobster, 1 tin Crab Meat and 1 tin Pilchards. All for $1.00

California Sunkist Navel Oranges, sweet and juicy. Regular 40c per dozen. Dollar Day Special, 3 dozen for $1.00
Good Sound Cooking Onions, 4 lbs. for 25¢
Sweet Potatoes, 3 lbs. for 25¢
Local Carrots and Parsnips, 3 lbs. for 10¢
Fresh Celery, per stick 20¢
New Green Spinach, 2 lbs. 25¢

Finest Florida Grapefruit Special, 8 for $1.00
Okanagan Winesap or Yellow Newtown Apples for table use. Special, 14 lbs. $1.00

—Lower Main Floor, HBC

Dollar Specials in Fresh Meats

4 lb. Shoulders of Mutton for $1.00
3 lb. Loins of Mutton $1.00
3-lb. Fillets of Mutton $1.00
3½-lb. Ribs of Mutton $1.00
4-lb. Trimmed Shoulder of Pork for $1.00
3 lb. Loin of Pork $1.00
3-lb. Fillet of Pork $1.00
4-lb. Side of Pork, pickled or fresh $1.00
10 lbs. Pig's Head or Feet for $1.00
4 lb. Shoulders of Veal $1.00
3-lb. Loin or Rump of Veal for $1.00
4 lb. Thick Rib Roast Beef for $1.00
3½-lb. Rump Roast $1.00
5 lbs. Brisket $1.00
3½-lb. Prime Rib Roast $1.00
4 lb. Imperial Roast $1.00
4 lbs. Imperial Pork Sausages for $1.00
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Kitchen Chairs

A Limited Number of Hardwood Kitchen Chairs finished in golden oak, solid seats and spindle backs. No phone orders, please. Special for Dollar Day

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Six Foot Ceiling Racks with five bars. Complete with pulleys and cord ready to hang up. We have been selling these at the special low price of $1.39. Extra bargain for Dollar Day at

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Four Piece Grocery Sets, consisting of flour, sugar, tea and coffee containers. Choose from colors of blue, red, green or mauve. Regular $1.45. Special for Dollar Day

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24-Inch English Fibre Suit Cases. Strongly constructed with reinforced corners and complete with two spring locks. Regular $1.50. Special for Dollar Day

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Short Lengths of Genuine Inlaid Linoleums up to 12 feet, in good patterns and colorings. Bring in your measurements on Dollar Day. Regular to $2.00 square yard for

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An assortment comprising pearl throws, 60-inch colored bead necklets, also 60-inch pearl strings, and some very fascinating brooches, chokers and bracelets. Values to $1.95. Special for Dollar Day

—Main Floor, HBC

Ribbon Bargain

An Assortment of Ribbons, including 9-inch fancy tapestry bag ribbons; also 9-inch three-tone satins, moires, Dresden and plain stripe ribbons. There is a splendid choice of colors at this substantial saving. Regular to $1.50. Special Dollar Day, per yard

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Strong Horsehide-Faced Gloves, short or gauntlet styles, in a quality that will give long and hard service. Special bargain for Dollar Day, per pair

—Main Floor, HBC

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Regular $1.35 and $1.50 Dark Grey Flannel and Fancy Check Cotton Shirts with attached collar. All sizes, 12½ to 14½. Special for Dollar Day shoppers at

—Main Floor, HBC

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Hot Water Bottles. Extra large size; 2-year quality, $2.00 value $1.59
Hot Water Bottles, smaller size 89¢

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Bromo Quinine Cold Tablets for 19¢
Bayer's Aspirin, 12 tablets for 25¢
100 for $1.39
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Sewing Cotton at 6 Spools for 45c
J. & P. Coats' 200-yard 6-cord Sewing Cotton, in black or white. All numbers. Price, 6 for 45¢

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70-Sheet Writing Pads
In best quality linen finish paper, with line guide and blotter. Special, 5 for $1.00

Exercise Books
Lined and margined, and suitable for High School and College use. Special at 12 for $1.00

Wax Paper
60-Sheet Rolls of Fine White Grease-Proof Paper of superior quality in these extra sized rolls. Special Price, 12 for $1.00

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Smokers Specials

Royal George Smoking Mixture, a pipe tobacco that will not bite the tongue, ½-lb. tins, regular $1.25 at $1.00
Bridge Cigarette Holders at $1.00

1-lb. Bag of Alice Tobacco and a good Briar Pipe for $1.00

Good Quality Briar Pipes, $1.00 value at 69¢
La Rosa Cigars, box of 25 at $1.19
Cigarette Makers, for home use, at $1.00
Leather Tobacco Pouch, with oil silk lining; assorted colors. Roll-up style, at 98¢

—Main Floor, HBC

Spring Sale of Odd Trousers

2,500 Pairs of Men's and Boys' Trousers on the Bargain Tables Ready for Dollar Day Shoppers

Men's Pure Wool Botany Serge Trousers
In navy and grey, and an eighteen-ounce cloth. Tailored with two side and hip pockets, watch pocket and belt loops. All sizes. Price, per pair **6.85**

New Herringbone and Fancy Weaves
In serges and tweeds in light and dark shades, and all well cut and finished with cuff bottoms. Sizes 30 to 46. Price, per pair **2.95**

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Grey Flannels and Tweeds
In fancy weaves and mixtures, styled and tailored for young men. Sizes for 9 to 18 years. Price, per pair **2.45**

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29.75

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A Dollar Day Special at 4.95

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Women's Lightweight Raincoats, Special at $2.49
These Imported Raincoats are made from rubberized Indiana cloth and are most useful for wearing over suit or sweater. They are light in weight and absolutely waterproof. Colors are taupe, sand, rose and navy. Sizes 16 to 42. Special, each **2.49**

Special Offering of Balbrigg[an] Frocks at $9.50
Good Quality Frocks in sport styles neat jumper in two colors and pl[ain] skirt on waistband. Tailored colla[r] banded neckline and the new app[lique] trimming of contrasting color. C[hoose] from grey, green, blue, sand and Sizes 16 to 20. Special Price **9.**

—Second Floor, H[BC]

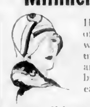
120 Women's Rayon Striped Corselett[es]

Special Bargain Dollar Day **1.00**

One of the greatest of our Dollar Day values is represented in this spec[ial] of Women's Well-Made, Perfect-Fitting, Lightweight Corselettes in a ser[viceable] rayon stripe material. These Corselettes are lightly boned and are [fin]ished with gussets of elastic webbing, diaphragm control and four hose [sup]porters. Sizes 32 to 40.

—Second Floor, H[BC]

Millinery Bargains for Dollar Day



Hats of fine light-weight felts with inset and of straw braid. Some off-the-face styles, o[r] with droop brims. They are attractive and bec[om]ing with well-fitting crowns and in small, med[ium] and large head sizes. Colors of Monet blue, s[and,] brown; also navy and black. Price, each **2.9**

40 Hats, Values to $7.95, Clearing at $1.00
Hats of Felt, Velvet, and Silk with Velvet. All smart styles of this season. Shown in assorted colors and in black. Values to $7.95 to be cleared at **1.00**

Tams and Little Hats for Chil[dren]
25 Children's Cloth Tams and [Little] Hats, all in good fine quality colors of navy, sand and two-t[one]. Regular 95c. Dollar Day Price **5**

—Second Floor, H[BC]

Dollar Day Savings in Fabri[cs]

Dollar Day affords an opportunity to buy inexpensive fabrics for yoursel[f and] for the children. When you start your Spring sewing, you will appre[ciate] having these pretty and practical materials in readiness.

Japanese Crepes
In fine weaves in all wanted colorings. Width 31 inches. 6 yards for $1.00

Ginghams
In fine texture in neat checks and plaid effects, also in self colorings. Width 32 inches. 4 yards for $1.00

Novelty Rayons
In smart plaid effects in wonderful color combinations. Width 32 inches. 3 yards for $1.00

Fine Shirtings
In neat stripe effects and fast color combinations. Width 31 inches. 3 yards for $1.00

Mill Ends of Printed Voiles and Batistes
In patterns suitable for dresses and drapes. Width 36 inches. 4 yards for $1.00

Beach Suitings
For inexpensive frocks in all [colors]. Width 36 inches. 3 yards for [$1.00]

English Prints
In many colorful patterns for wo[men] and children's use. Width 32". 2½ yards for

Printed Voiles
Of fine mesh in the newest floral pa[tterns] and wonderful color combinatio[ns]. yards for

Printed Wool Delaines
In pleasing patterns and colorful [com]binations. Note the useful widt[h]. inches. Price per yard

Wool Taffetas
In pastel colorings. Ideal for chil[dren's] wear. Widths 32 and 36 inches. per yard

—Main Floor, H[BC]

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...3,750 Yards of Spun Silks

A Great Dollar Day Bargain at, Per Yard.................. **49c**

...full range of colors to choose from, including Nile, peach, rose, pink, ...aize, saxe, mauve, sky, sand, also black, white and cream. A suitable ...tality for slips, lingerie, blouses, drapes, etc.

Black Duchesse Satins

...f superbly rich texture and with ...bright satin surface. Suitable ...eight for dresses. Special on ...ollar Day, per yard

1.00

Pongee Silks

Clear Natural Color Pongee in a weight for dresses, slips, lingerie, window drapes and other purposes. 33 inches wide. Special on Dollar Day, per yard.

33c

—Main Floor, H B C

Dollar Day Underwear Bargains

200 Rayon Silk Vests

...a top style, in dainty pastel shades and ...hite and black. Sizes 36 to 42 .... **2 for 1.00**

200 Women's Cream Ribbed Vests at 49c Each

...e Vests are made with tailored strap or short sleeves and ...cellent weight for Early Spring wear. Sizes 36 ... Dollar Day Price, each **49c**

...20 Rayon Vests and Bloomers at $1.00 Each

...e are heavy quality Rayon Bloomers and Vests, ...hased specially for our Dollar Day customers. ...are in dainty pastel shades, and would usually ...t $1.50 per garment. Sizes 36 to 42. ...r Day Price, each **1.00**

Women's Knit Bloomers at ...2 Pairs for $1.00

...Quality Cotton Knit Bloomers ...finished with gusset and durable ...c. Shown in peach, pink, cream, ... tango and rose. Sizes 36 to ...Dollar Day ...... **2 Pairs for 1.00**

120 Rayon Knickers at 75c a Pair

Women's Fine Quality Rayon Silk Knickers, in dainty pastel shades, also in white and black. Made with double gusset. Sizes 36 to 42. Dollar Day Price, per pair **75c**

—Second Floor, H B C

100 Women's Wool Cardigans and Pull-Overs at 1.47

Lightweight Wool Knit Pull-Overs and Cardigans. Just what the young miss requires at school or what women are glad to have to slip under their coats. Shown in heather shades and stripes. Dollar Day Bargain at **1.47**

...0 Women's Tailored Blouses at 1.94

...hen should not miss looking over and choosing from the several styles in ...nteresting assortment of smart tailored blouses in jacquards, broadcloths, ... and novelty styles. The popular sleeves are featured; also vest and ...ght fronts and long sleeves. Shown in sand, white and assorted ...s. Sizes 36 to 42. Dollar Day Price, each **1.94**

...0 "Inner Belt" Corselettes

Regular $3.50 for $1.98

...ien who wear the inner belt type of Corselette will know the exceptional ...represented in this garment. These are strong yet lightly-boned Cor...tes, in a serviceable rayon stripe material, with the addition of an inner ...and diaphragm control. They are finished with elastic panels, and have ...hose supporters. Sizes 32 to 44. Regular $3.50. Dollar Day ...ain Price **1.98**

—Second Floor, H B C

...ollar Day Brings Many Attractive Values in Children's Wear

...lannel and Knitted Pantie-Frocks at $1.96

...irls' All-Wool Knitted and Flan... Pantie-Frocks with embroidery, ...ing or contrasting trimmings in ... powder, Nile, rose, rosewood and ...al. Sizes for ages 2 to ...s. Price, each **1.96**

...0 Printed Pantie-Frocks at $1.00

...are ten styles in these little girls' ...figured and printed Pantie-Frocks ...with neat floral patterns and con...g trimmings. The colors are as... on dark or light grounds. Sizes ...to 6 years. ...each **1.00**

...20 Girls' Tub Frocks at $1.00

...were specially purchased and set ...for Dollar Day bargain hunters. ...are neat printed Tub Frocks in five ...in figured and floral patterns with ...ting and ribbon trimmings and as... colors. Sizes for ...1 years. Price, each **1.00**

96 Children's Wool Jerseys at $1.00

Children's Fine All-Wool Flat Knit Jerseys with polo collar. Shown in green and blue heather, sand and navy. Sizes for 4 to 14 years. Price, each **1.00**

60 Girls' Jean Middies at $1.00

Neat Well Made School Middies of a serviceable Jean cloth with all-white or navy collar and braid trimmed. Sizes for 6 to 16 years. Price, each **1.00**

25 Little Tots' Coats at $2.94

Little Tots' Odd Winter Coats in all wool materials with beaverine collar and fully lined. Colors are sand and powder. Sizes for 1 to 3 years. Regular to $6.95. Price **2.94**

Clearing Little Tots' Odd Hats

Children's Cloth Hats for little boys and girls. Some with fur trimmings. Special at **25c, 50c and 1.00**

—Second Floor, H B C

Great Savings in Staples

Pure Linen Table Napkins
In all wanted patterns and hemmed ready for use. Price, 4 for **$1.00**

Pure Linen Hemstitched Pillow Cases
Of even texture, and in size 42 x 34 inches. Priced at, per pair **$1.39**

Pure Linen Bleached Table Damasks
Of a heavy weave, and in a choice of many desirable patterns. Width 71 inches. Note the remarkable price. Per yard **$1.25**

Plain Hem and Hemstitched Pillow Cases
Made from a fine cotton of even texture, in sizes 40 and 42 inches. Price, 4 for **$1.00**

Horrockses' Hemstitched Pillow Cases
Famed for their hard wearing qualities. Size 42 inches. Price, per pair **$1.00**

Plain Pillow Cotton
Of a snow white bleach. Width 42 inches. Price, 4 yards for **$1.00**

Pure Linen Hand Towels
Finished with colored borders of rose, blue, green and gold. Price, 4 for **$1.00**

Large Colored Turkish Towels
In multi-colored stripes. Approximate size 20 x 45 inches. Price, 4 for **$1.00**

Turkish Bath Towels
Both white and colored, in wonderful values. Approximate size 24 x 48 inches. Price, 3 for **$1.00**

Glass Towelling
In blue and red checks. Size 22 inches. Price, 5 yards for **$1.00**

Pure Linen Crash Roller Towelling
With colored border down both sides; 17 inches wide. Price, 5 yards for **$1.00**

Pure Linen Damask Cloths
With a clear snow white bleach and in many popular patterns. Size 2 yards x 2½ yards long. Note the price. Each **$2.08**

Linen Crash Tablecloths
With novelty colored borders. Size 44 x 44 inches. Price each **69c**

Saxony Flannelettes
With soft nappy surface. Width 32 inches. Price, 5 yards for **$1.00**

Bleached Sheeting
Of a sturdy weave, and made for hard wear. Width 81 inches. Price, per yard **59c**
Sheets hemmed free of charge

—Main Floor, H B C

Dollar Day Bargains in Footwear

Women's Fine Street Footwear
These lines are very smart and up-to-date both in styles and materials. Comprising a range of patent leather and tan calf, with styles of two eyelet ties, one strap cut-outs and fancy pumps. Medium and Cuban heels. Special Price, per pair **$3.45**

Girls' School Shoes
Girls' All-Leather Oxfords, in tan calf. These are Blucher styles, with full leather extension soles and rubber heels. Sizes 11 to 2. Special, per pair **$2.89**

Men's Medium Weight Work Boots
Black and Tan Kip Blucher Cut Boots, with full leather soles and heels. Special, per pair **$2.98**

Boys' School Boots
Just the boots to stand rough wear. Made in black and tan kip, with solid leather soles and heels. Sizes 11 to 13½. Special, per pair **$2.98**

—Main Floor, H B C

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Early Shoppers Get Best Choice

Embroidered Pillow Cases
Made from pure linen finished cotton of fine even quality: neatly hemstitched or with embroidered scalloped ends. Size 44 x 33. Special for Dollar Day, per pair
—Main Floor, H B C

Unbleached Sheets
Double Bed Size Sheets, size 81 x 90. Made from a high-grade unbleached cotton that will launder to your entire satisfaction. Special for Dollar Day, each
—Main Floor, H B C

Damask Tablecloths
Snow White Damask Tablecloths in dice and floral patterns. A serviceable quality for every day use. Size 54 by 54 inches. Dollar Day, each
—Main Floor, H B C

Umbrella Special
Serviceable Umbrellas, suitable for schoolgirls' use. Have good black cotton covers and sturdy frames. A variety of handles to choose from. Special for Dollar Day
—Main Floor, H B C

Women's Wool Hose
Large Sizes in All-Wool Cashmere Hose with 3-ply heel and toe, wide elastic top. Sizes 10 and 10½. Black only. Regular $1.50 quality. Special for Dollar Day, per pair
—Main Floor, H B C

Silk and Wool Hose
Standard Quality Silk and Wool Hose, every pair perfect. Offered in shades of taupaura, grain, oak apple, rose-beige, alominum, also black. Sizes 8½ to 10. Dollar Day Bargain, per pair
—Main Floor, H B C

Women's Fabric Gloves
Fancy pull-on styles with embroidered cuffs and points, also regulation gloves with saddle stitch seams and one button fastener. Choose from rosewood, sand, grey and mode. All perfect. Sizes 5½ to 7½. Price, per pair
—Main Floor, H B C

Fine Silk Scarves
Georgette and Crepe de Chine Scarves in popular lengths and widths, showing handsomely stencilled designs in delightful colorings. Regular $1.49. Special for Dollar Day
—Main Floor, H B C

Printed House Frocks
120 Only in the lot, eight different styles in figured and floral patterns, short sleeves; V or square necks. Sizes 36 to 44. Special for Dollar Day at
—Second Floor, H B C

Hoover Dresses
Serviceable Cotton Chambray Hoover Dresses in pink, blue and green with white twill collar and trimmings. Sizes 36 to 42. Special for Dollar Day at
—Second Floor, H B C

Kapok Cushion Forms
Choice of three sizes, 20 by 20 inches, 18 by 24 inches and 20-inch round. Well filled with best quality kapok. Your choice Dollar Day at
—Art Needlework Section
Mezzanine Floor, H B C

Hemstitched Scarves
Stamped Scarves in size about 14 x 45 inches, with two rows of drawn thread and stamped in effective designs for easy working. Special for Dollar Day, each
—Mezzanine Floor, H B C

Knitting Worsted
H B C Knitting Worsted and Corticelli Fingering Wool in one-ounce balls. Odd colors, suitable for crocheting afghans. Special for Dollar Day, 7 balls for
—Mezzanine Floor, H B C

Smokers' Stands
36 Only, Light Walnut Finished Smokers' Stands, complete with large glass ash tray. Suitable for bridge prizes. Special for Dollar Day
No Phone Orders, Please
—Fourth Floor, H B C

500 Men's Fine Shirts at a Dollar Each

Now is the time to stock up on your supply of Shirts for the Spring. At a dollar apiece we are offering Shirts that were already wonderful value at $1.39 and $1.50. There are broadcloths, crepes and percales, in desirable colorings and many have separate collars to match. All with double cuffs and coat style. Sizes 14 to 17. Special on Dollar Day at......... **1.00**

500 Yards of Cretonnes
Values Up to $1.25 Yard
2 Yards for $1.00

This outstanding bargain for Dollar Day embraces a wide selection of High-Grade Cretonnes—beautiful hand blocked and printed designs, suitable for slip covers, side drapes and other purposes. An opportunity to buy some good cretonne at a greatly reduced price. Special for Dollar Day ...... 2 yards for **$1.00**

Filet Curtain Nets 3 Yards for $1.00
Neat patterns, finished with lace edges. Fine quality nets in ivory shade, 36 inches wide. Dollar Day **3 yards for 1.00**

Cream Scotch Madras 4 Yards for $1.00
Nice soft quality Madras, offering a selection of the newest patterns, 30 inches wide. Dollar Day **4 yards for 1.00**
—Third Floor, H B C

Men's Strong Work Shirts
Khaki Twill Work Shirts, with breast pockets and double-button collar. All sizes. Special for Dollar Day **1.00**

Carpincho Work Gloves
Suitable for men or women. All sizes. Dollar Day Special at 2 pairs for **$1.00**

Men's Soft Collars
An odd lot, including all sizes but not all styles. Regular 25c and 35c. Special, 8 for **$1.00**

Men's Golf Hose
English All-Wool Golf Hose, in marl shades, with new fancy tops. All sizes. Per pair **$1.00**

Men's Undersuits
Of fine merino finished cotton, short sleeves, ankle length. All sizes. Per suit **$1.00**

Grey Cotton Socks
In sizes 10½ and 11. Dollar Day Special at 8 pairs for **$1.00**

Merino and Ribbed Wool Socks
In English merino, clerical grey and assorted heather shades. Dollar Day Special, 3 pairs for **$1.00**

—Main Floor, H B C

Furniture Bargains for Dollar Day

Card Tables
36 Card Tables, in mahogany finish with green leathecetta tops. These tables are neatly constructed, and fold flat when not in use. Dollar Day Price, each **$1.98**
No Phone Orders, Please

Walnut Tea Wagons
Finely Finished Wagons, with drop leaves and large rubber tired wheels, with casters. They are provided with a nice glass bottom tray. Price, complete at **$32.50**

Floor Lamps
These have ornamental metal shafts, with double chain pull sockets and an all-silk shade in either blue and rose or orange and black. Price, for Dollar Day, complete **$13.95**

Wall Mirrors
Fine Quality Plate Mirrors, with picture above, in attractive polychrome frame. Size 13 x 29 inches. Regular $5.50. Dollar Day Price **$3.95**

All-Feather Pillows
Size 17 x 25 inches, in stripe art ticking and all new feather filling. Neat looking and comfortable pillows. Price, each **89c**

—Fourth Floor, H B C

Floor Oilcloth
Heavy Quality Painted Back Floor Oilcloth, with well finished varnish surface, and in full selection of patterns. Width 6 ft. Special Price, 2 square yards for **$1.00**
—Third Floor, H B C

Hearthrugs
100 English Reversible Axminster Hearthrugs in hit-and-miss patterns, and in attractive colorings. Size 27 x 54 inches. Sale Price, each **98c**
—Third Floor, H B C

Window Shades
Green Opaque Window Shades on a good quality spring roller. Complete with fixtures. Size 37 ins. x 6 ft. Price, each **68c**
—Third Floor, H B C

Home Accessories
At Big Savings

Coal Hod and Shovel
Consisting of galvanized coal hod and heavy black fire shovel. Price **$1.00**

Bread Board and Knife
English bread board in pine whitewood and good quality bread knife. The two for **$1.00**

Chopping Bowls
Of wood in round shape and complete with chopping knife, for **$1.00**

Heavy Tin Steamers
In graduated heavy tin that will not rust. Price, each **$1.00**

Clothes Baskets
In Belgian wicker and 28-inch size. Price, each **$1.00**

Ironing Cords
Complete with switch to fit all irons. Price **$1.00**

Wire Clothes Lines
100 Feet, complete with two pulleys **$1.00**

Opal Rolling Pins
With hardwood grips. Regular $1.35, for **$1.00**

Household Axes
English Hand Axes of high-grade steel. Regular $1.35, for **$1.00**

—Lower Main Floor, H B C

China Department Specials

Willow Pattern Cups and Saucers
In ovide shape, 12 for **$1.00**

Belgian Tumblers
Medium weight with heavy bases ...... 12 for **$1.00**

Dark Brown Casseroles
3-Pint size, round shape. Price, each **$1.00**

Seven-Piece Water Sets
Six Tumblers of fine Belgian glass and 2-Pint Glass Jug for **$1.00**

Stone Crocks
Three-Gallon Size Stone Crocks, complete with cover **$1.00**

—Lower Main Floor, H B C

Bargains From the Sporting Goods Section

Roller Hockey Special
Consisting of 4 ball-bearing wheels, 1 hockey stick and 1 hockey puck. Price **$1.00**

Bicyclist's Special
Consisting of 1 Inner Tube and 1 Tire Repair Kit. Price, **$1.00**

Autoist's Special
Consisting of 30 x 3½-inch Automobile Inner Tubes of heavy grey rubber. Price **$1.00**

Flashlight Special
2-Cell Nickel Plated Flashlight, complete with two sets of batteries. Price **$1.00**

Men's Skate and Boot Outfit
Consisting of High-Grade Hockey Boots and C.C.M. Hockey Skates. Regular $12.25. Dollar Day Price **$8.95**

Cycle Accessories
Consisting of 1 pump, 1 bell and 1 rear reflector. Price **$1.00**

English Badminton Shuttlecocks
In regulation size and weight. Price ...... 8 for **$1.00**

—Lower Main Floor, H B C

MANY CHANGES RECOMMENDED

B.C. Executive of Trades and Labor Congress of Canada Files Suggestions for Cabinet

EMBRACES BROAD FIELD OF EFFORT

Many suggestions with regard to amendments in social and other legislation were presented in a memorandum filed with the Government yesterday by the British Columbia Executive of the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada.

Among suggestions affecting amendment of the Mothers' Pension Act was one to remove the deduction in income owing to a mother owning her home.

It was suggested that the Hours of Work Act be extended to all classes of industrial activity, and that the Minimum Wage Act be extended to boys.

Amendment of the Vancouver Incorporation Act, to bring its franchise clauses in conformity with the municipal law applicable elsewhere in the province, was recommended, and also legislation abolishing all property qualifications for municipal elective offices, or alternatively provision for five years' residence and indorsement by 150 electors.

Compulsory insurance against physical injury of others was recommended for motorists.

Other matters raised in the memorandum, presented by Mr. W. J. Bartlett, chairman, Alderman E. S. Woodward and Mr. P. R. Bengough, were as follows.

WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION

1. That excluded persons as set out in Part One, Section Four, Paragraph B, engaged in undertakings costing in excess of $50, be brought under the provisions of the act.

2. All compensation to be based on rate of wages being paid to workman at time of injury.

3. That the rate of compensation be increased from 62 1-2 per cent to 66 2-3 per cent, same as in force in Ontario and Manitoba.

4. That there be a more liberal interpretation in hernia cases.

5. That when an injured workman has been awarded total disability compensation, same shall be continued until he is able to resume his former occupation or has been offered other suitable and equally remunerative employment; and that if such injured workman has suffered a permanent partial disability, but upon the report of the attending physician is able to take light work, the total disability payments should be continued until suitable employment is provided.

6. That medical inspection and professional treatment be provided when workers are employed in occupations where they are subjected to the dangers of poisonous gases.

HEALTH INSURANCE

1. That legislation be introduced providing for health insurance, and that we be given the opportunity of being in touch with your committee in the preparation of the proposed bill.

2. We strongly recommend your Government to reaffirm the resolution as passed at the last session of the Provincial Legislature urging upon the Dominion Government the necessity of enacting legislation providing for the creation of a state unemployment insurance fund.

TECHNICAL EDUCATION

1. That the Provincial Government urge the Dominion Government to continue the grant to aid technical education.

SCHOOL TEXTBOOKS

1. That all textbooks and other supplies should be supplied at cost to pupils by the board. Such books and supplies should be standardized in order that all children of the Province should be on a uniform basis.

2. That all textbooks should be printed at the Government Printery wherever possible.

3. That frequent revision of books should be avoided in order that parents should not be put to unnecessary expense.

4. That homework should be reduced or eliminated and the time now spent by teachers in assigning and revising homework should be devoted to direct instruction in school hours.

CONCILIATION BOARDS

1. That the necessary legislation be enacted providing for the establishment of conciliation boards to consider disputes of municipal and civic employees.

SAFETY REGULATIONS

1. That the Government enact legislation to compel electrical distribution companies to have at least two men on shift in power houses and substations.

FIREMEN'S HOURS

1. That legislation be enacted granting the eight-hour day for firefighters.

CHAUFFEURS' LICENCES

1. That the chauffeur's licence fee of $5 be either abolished or made good for the lifetime of the holder. We would point out that in no other trades is it necessary for men to purchase a licence and then pay poll tax, etc.

TAXI AND STAGE SAFETY

1. That in the interests of public safety no taxi or stage company be allowed to keep drivers employed for a longer period than eight hours at any one time.

Finance was becoming a burden to the church officials of a colored church in one of the Southern States, and the minister made mention of the fact in the course of his remarks one Sunday. "Dis church mus' get movin'," he said. "We want funds. Dis church gotter walk." "Amen," shouted one of the deacons, "let her walk." "Dis church gotter run," proceeded the minister. "Amen," agreed the deacon, "let her run." "Dis church gotter fly, brudders," the minister went on. "Amen," again replied the deacon, "let her fly." "Brudders," said the minister at last reaching the point, "it's gwine ter take mighty money ter make dis church fly." "Let her walk, brudder, let her walk," responded the deacon.—Churchman.

SEATTLE ESKIMOS TURN TABLES ON BUCKAROOS

Plimley and Ritchie Take Lead in Commercial Hockey League Play-Offs

Defeat Bapcos 2-1 in Thrilling Encounter; Third Tilt Next Week

Cyclemen Net Puck Once in First and Third Periods, Norm Tyrell and Green Scoring—McDonald Scores Lone Counter for Paintmen

Plimley & Ritchie's exponents of the ice game made a good start towards capturing for a second time the championship of the Commercial Hockey League, when they defeated the Bapcos, 2-1, in the second game of the play-off series last night at the Willows Ice Palace. The first match resulted in a one-all draw, while a third and final game is scheduled to take place next Friday night.

Never once did the teams let up and fought like a bunch of wild cats from bell to bell with the winners having a slight edge on the evening's affair. Ross Oatman, guarding the nets for the cyclemen, saved the situation in the last five minutes when the whole Bapco team showered rubber at him, but he stood the onslaught like a brick wall. Three times in the last two minutes he dove from one end of the hemp to the other to save bullet drives in a phenomenal manner. Emery, the paintmen's net custodian, also turned in a pretty game, but he should not have let the first goal get by him, for it was one of those easy flips.

The first period was seven minutes old when Symons skated down the left boards, swung the disc over to Norm Tyrrel who squeezed through Bapco's defence and flipped the puck goalwards and Emery let it hit the net behind him. Frank Tyrrel who, by the way, was the best man on the pond, nearly made it 2-0, but Emery pulled off a wonderful save to prevent a tally. McDonald went through and brought Oatman to his knees to save a sure goal.

Plimley's kept up their attack in the next canto and Symons made Emery act quickly to stop his whistling shot. Tyrrel, Green and Symons drove in successive shots but the goalie was safe. McDonald nearly equalized when he accepted McKenzie's perfect pass, but his shot landed in the stands. End to end rushes featured the last ten minutes of this period with neither team being able to score.

FAST HOCKEY

That hockey is the world's fastest sport was brought home in the final stanza, for both squads kept up a dizzy pace the entire twenty minutes. Rough play featured, with Bapco's defence men being the chief offenders by using illegal body checking time and again. Five minutes after the period opened, Morris Green, rated as the fastest man in the league, went from one end to the other and beat Emery from close quarters, to make the count stand 2-0 in Plimley's favor. It was a pretty piece of work. The paintmen went on the offensive and continually worried Oatman for ten minutes in succession with terrific drives. However, Jack McDonald's sizzling shot from ten feet out beat him all the way. He made a valiant attempt to block it, but goal was written all over the rubber and it continued on its way to the back of the net.

With five minutes remaining to be played, the cyclemen turned their game into one of a defensive character and continued it until Alan Tuckwell tooted the whistle for full time. For the winners, Oatman, the Tyrrel brothers, Green, Symons and Savannah played good games, while Emery, McDonald, Baylis and Unwin were the losers' choice.

Line-Ups

Plimley & Ritchie		Bapcos
Oatman	Goal	Emery
Green	Defence	McDonald
Russell	Defence	Baylis
F. Tyrrel	Centre	Unwin
N Tyrrel	Wing	McKenzie
Symons	Wing	Chatton
Turner	Sub	McPhee
——	Sub	McGregor
——	Sub	McCandell

Summary

First period—N. Tyrrel (Plimley's), 7:03. Penalties: McDonald and F. Tyrrel (2 min.).

Second period—No score. No penalties.

Third period—Green (Plimley's), 5:06. McDonald (Bapco), 15:00. Penalties. McDonald (2 min.)

PLANS UNDER WAY FOR PARLOR SHOW

Victoria Kennel Club Preparing for Final Show of Season to Be Held March 2

Arrangements are well under way for the staging of the final parlor show of the season by the officials of the Victoria City Kennel Club, according to the information received yesterday from F. Dodsworth, secretary of the club. The show is scheduled to take place at the Westholme Hotel on March 2.

The committee in charge is adhering strictly to the principles of such shows in providing special classes for the junior and senior puppies of all breeds. The green dogs of all breeds will be looked after in a very appropriate manner, as well as the ladies' and children's handlers' classes.

The prizes awarded to the winners of the various events are of a valuable nature, such as china and silverware, three of which have been specially donated for the junior and senior puppies and green classes.

In view of the large number of entries expected, the judging will commence at 7 30 o'clock sharp, and in order to prevent any delay, two officials will be taking entries at the door from 7 to 7 30 p m. The appointment of a judge has not been definitely settled, but it is anticipated that a well-known canine expert from Edmonton will officiate.

Basketball Problems

By OSWALD TOWER

(Send your queries to Mr. Tower. If you wish a personal answer send the query with self-addressed, stamped envelope. Address Mr Tower at Andover, Mass.)

Question—A player who has been awarded the ball out of bounds bounces it off the back of an opponent in the court, recovers it, and throws a goal. Does it count?

Answer—Yes. Rule 14, Section 5, states that a player shall not touch the ball after putting it in play from out of bounds until it has been touched by another. In this case it has touched another player, which means the same as being touched by the player, who ought to have an eye on the ball. To rule in any other way in this play would require the referee to read the mind of the player who had the ball out of bounds.

EX-KING GEORGE PUCKCHASERS WIN FIRST PLAY-OFF

VANCOUVER, Feb 15.—Ex-King George puckchasers will be fortified behind a four-goal lead when they meet the Monarchs next Friday night in the second game of the Vancouver Amateur Ice Hockey League senior play-off series. The green - and - black - jerseyed former students belabored the Monarchs 6-2 tonight, and as a result of all this scoring, the Kings are top-heavy favorites to win the city play-off and go into the provincial finals.

ALEX HURD LEADS CANADIAN SKATERS

MONTREAL, Feb. 15. — Alex Hurd, of Hamilton, Ont., jumped into the lead for the Canadian senior speed skating title, when he scored fifty points during the first half of the annual championship series staged at the Stadium skating rink here tonight. The meet will be continued tomorrow afternoon.

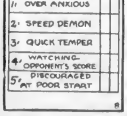
Hurd won the mile race by a proverbial hair's breadth from Valentine Bialis, Utica, N.Y., in 2 46, while he was second in the half-mile to Ross Robinson, Toronto.

Willie Logan, of Saint John, N.B., finished second to Hurd in the point-scoring by securing the 220 yards, and placing third in the mile for a total of forty points.

NO PRACTICE TODAY

Members of the Victoria Grass Hockey Club will not practice today.

LESSONS IN BOWLING



What are the commonest mistakes made by beginning bowlers?

Answered By

JAMES BLOUIN

Former World's Classic Bowling champion, American Bowling Congress individual champion and All-around champion. One of the greatest bowlers in the game today

These are my tips to beginners who want to avoid the commonest mistakes:

1 Do not try to learn in one day, practice makes perfect.

2. Do not use too much speed; a slow accurate ball is better than a fast wild one.

3 Don't lose your patience or temper; keep your mind calmly on the game.

4 Do not watch your opponent's score, for if he is going good, it may worry you and damage your own game.

5 Do not get discouraged at a poor start, keep your nerve.

It might be well right now to make an examination of yourself as a bowler. Check "Yes" or "No" in the chart above.

Today's Sport Card

Rugby—Intermediate League

Victoria College vs. University School, at Mount Tolmie. Kick-off at 3 o'clock.

Football—Peden Cup

Victoria City vs. Esquimalt, at Beacon Hill, lower ground. Kick-off at 3 o'clock.

Boxing

Professional fistic show at the Sons of Canada Hall. Tommy Fielding, junior lightweight champion of Vancouver Island, will meet Petie Miller, Tacoma, junior lightweight, in the ten-round main event. Good supporting card. First bout at 8 45 o'clock.

Basketball

Three games at the Y.M.C.A. gymnasium:

7:30—Victoria College vs. J.B.A.A.

8 25—Victoria High School vs. Doo Dads.

9 20—C.P.S. vs. Crescents.

TOM HEENEY IS SIGNED TO MEET JIMMY MALONEY

Boston Heavyweight Who Was Knocked Out by the "Hard Rock" in 1927 Will Again Try His Luck

BOSTONIAN HAS BEEN BUSY MAN

BOSTON, Feb 15.—The signing of Tom Heeney, of New Zealand, and Jimmy Maloney, Boston heavyweight, for a ten-round bout here March 1, was announced today by Eddie Mack, the Boston Garden's boxing promoter.

TOM HEENEY

Maloney, who was knocked out in a few punches by the "Hard Rock" in 1927, has shown much improvement since he started his comeback campaign eight months ago. He has been fighting often, recently outpointing Johnny Risko, of Cleveland, and Con O'Kelley, the Irish heavyweight. His handlers believe he has an excellent chance to even matters with Heeney, who has done but little ring work since he was defeated by Gene Tunney in last July's championship contest.

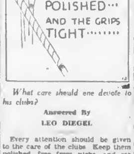
CHANGES MADE IN CITY SOCCER TEAM FOR TODAY'S GAME

When Victoria City meets Esquimalt at Beacon Hill today at 3 o'clock in a Peden Cup soccer match, there will be two changes in their line-up. Martin, recently acquired from New Westminster, will play at inside right, while Barnet Burns will play at centre forward. Just how this change will work will be known today following the game.

The team which was announced last night is as follows:

Bridges, Margison, Tuckwell, Stofer, Preston, McBay, Cameron, Martin, Burns, D. Bissell and Olancy.

GOLF
AS CHAMPIONS PLAY IT



What care should one devote to his clubs?

Answered By

LEO DIEGEL

Every attention should be given to the care of the clubs. Keep them polished, free from nicks, and see that the wrappings around the grips and the heads of wooden clubs are intact. Do not allow caddies to rest on the shafts, as the weight may bend them. The faces of both wooden and iron clubs should be kept free of dirt. While it is true that a rusty iron club will hit just as well as one kept bright and clean, the element of confidence is heightened by bright tools. For this reason alone, the clubs should be kept in good condition. Your club professional will keep your clubs in good condition for a small sum every month.

To Swap Punches Tonight

TOMMY FIELDING PETIE MILLER

Two promising junior lightweights in Pacific Coast pugilistic circles who will mix at the Sons of Canada Hall tonight in the ten-round main event of Promoter Joe Bayley's cauliflower show. A good supporting card has been arranged.

SAN CARLOS WIN COAST POLO TITLE

Defeat Midwick Aggregation 7-6 in Final Played at Del Monte—Pedley and Hitchcock Star

DEL MONTE, Fla., Feb. 15.—Tommy Hitchcock and his red-shirted San Carlos Cardinals were too much for Eric Pedley and the purple-shirted Midwick four in today's polo classic at Delmonte, and the former rode off with the Pacific Coast championship with a 7-6 score. At several stages the game resolved itself into a sort of Hitchcock-Pedley duel. Both played superbly throughout. Waverell Harriman was a constant aid to Hitchcock. Will Tevis made numerous long shots, and even George Gordon Moore, the lowest rated player on the San Carlos side, came through in a final seventh chukker rush which placed the ball in good position for Hitchcock to make the last goal. It put the game and title on ice for San Carlos.

WISE RINK WINS CURLING HONORS

WINNIPEG, Feb. 15. — J. H. "Ness" Wise, skipping his brilliant Strathcona Club rink, today captured premier honors of the Manitoba curling bonspiel by winning the Birks' trophy and the grand aggregate prize. Only two defeats marred the record of the Wise rink, one in the final of the Dingwall Trophy competition last night and the other in the Macdonald Brier play yesterday. Howard Wood, of the Granites, Wise's closest rival for grand aggregate laurels, was his opponent in the Birks' Trophy final, Wise annexing the winning shot on an extra end.

Famous Runner Passes

BOSTON, Mass Feb. 15.—Thomas E. Burke, one of the greatest of all middle distance runners and a double winner at the first of the modern Olympic Games at Athens in 1896, died at the Haymarket Hospital here yesterday. He was fifty-four years old.

90,000 Applicants For 14,000 Seats In Tennis Stadium

LONDON, Feb. 15. With 90,000 applicants for 14,000 seats in the big Wimbledon tennis stadium, tennis fans have about as much chance of drawing a season ticket as they have of winning a Wimbledon title.

Last year nearly $200,000 was returned to unsuccessful applicants for Wimbledon seats, and this year the amount will be larger, since letters have poured into the offices of the All-England Lawn Tennis Club for weeks from all parts of the world. Many came from the United States and Japan. The stamps off the envelopes would make the foundation of a good collection.

A few Wimbledon tickets get to speculators, and single seats for particular days can be bought outside the grounds while the tournament is on at scalpers' prices of from $10 to $25. Men and women were up for five to ten hours to get standing room in small sections of the stands which are opened each day to the public.

Percy Williams to Compete in Indoor Meet in Michigan

DETROIT, Feb 15.—Percy Williams, of Vancouver, sensational Canadian school sprinter, will run here Wednesday night at the Michigan Indoor A.A.U. meet, in which Paavo Nurmi, Finnish star, and Edvin Wide, fleet Swedish schoolmaster, already are entered. A.A.U. officials announced receipt of his entry form tonight, and said he would run in a forty-yard event.

JACKIE FIELDS GIVEN VERDICT OVER JOE GANS

NEW YORK, Feb. 15.—Jackie Fields, busy welterweight glove slinger from Los Angeles, won the decision over his fellow townsman "Baby" Joe Gans," in a mauling ten-round bout in Madison Square Garden tonight. Weights: Fields, 145 1-2; Gans, 140. Although some boos greeted the verdict. Fields, rated as the leading contender for Joe Dandee's 147 - pound crown, cleanly outpointed the negro battler. Fields, punching every minute of every round, carried the fight to Gans throughout, and on several occasions had the negro on the verge of a knockout.

Despite his victory, Fields did not appear overimpressive. He had Gans groggy and staggering in the second and third rounds, but could not measure his man for the finishing punch.

The battle attracted a crowd of some 15,000 fans.

MISS HELEN HICKS WINS MIAMI GOLF

Eighteen-Year-Old Mashie Wielder Registers 6-5 Victory in Final With Mrs. John Arends

MIAMI, Fla., Feb 15. Miss Helen Hicks, eighteen-year-old golfing star, today won a 6 and 5 victory over Mrs John Arends of Chicago, to take the annual Miami Women's championship golf tournament.

The Salisbury, L.I. girl had led her opposition throughout the play, having broken a course record at the Miami Country Club to take medalist honors. Mrs. Arends was runner-up in the Miami Beach Women's championship a short time ago.

INTERNATIONAL BALL LOOP WILL COMMENCE OPERATIONS IN APRIL

NEW YORK, Feb 15.—International League owners today adopted a 168-game schedule for this year, starting April 17 and closing September 22. The opening games call for Montreal to play at Newark; Toronto at Baltimore; Buffalo at Jersey City, and Rochester at Reading. The same teams will meet in the openings on the northern half of the circuit on May 12.

Leo Lomski Wins

DETROIT, Mich., Feb 15.—Leo Lomski, Aberdeen, Washington, light-heavyweight, was awarded a ten-round decision over Tuffy Griffiths, Omaha, here tonight amid a chorus of boos.

Only One Rugby Encounter Will Be Played Today

ONLY one Rugby game will be played today and that is the Intermediate League fixture between Victoria College and University School, at Mount Tolmie, at 3 o'clock. V. L. Denton, secretary of the Victoria Rugby Union, stated at a late hour last night that the two senior games had been canceled. The second Intermediate League match, scheduled at Oak Bay Park, bringing together Oak Bay Wanderers and 16th Canadian Scottish, has also been called off.

FIGHTERS AWAIT SOUND OF GONG FOR BIG BATTLE

Tommy Fielding and Petie Miller Rounded Off Their Training Last Night—In Pink of Condition

GOOD SUPPORTING CARD IS ARRANGED

Petie Miller, Tacoma junior lightweight, who battles Tommy Fielding, Vancouver Island champion at the Sons of Canada Hall tonight, wound up his training for the mix last night at the Victoria West gymnasium and looks in the pink of condition. Miller is vastly different from a number of Fielding's previous opponents in that he is of the boring-in type of fighter. Fast, shifty and packing a reasonable amount of punch in his two hands, the fans look to him to give the local flash plenty of worry. However, on the other hand, Fielding is one of the fastest boys on the Pacific Coast, very shifty and an exceptionally pretty and clever defensive type of boxer.

Tommy Fielding, who has accounted for plenty of good leather throwers since fighting for Joe Bayley, former Canadian lightweight champion, reigns a 5-4 favorite to outpoint Miller. The mix promises to be a lively affair from the first round of the gong. The boys will fight at 130 pounds.

The semi-windup, over the four-round route, will bring together Benny Wendall, of Bellingham, and Charlie Bradshaw, local leather thrower, at 136 pounds. Wendall, in his appearance here last week registered a technical K.O. over "Buster" Robinson, of Vancouver. However, in Bradshaw he will find an opponent who will fight every inch of the way and never give ground. There is nothing to say that these boys will not steal the show.

PASTROE MEETS HAY

Another good mix, in fact a slugging bee, is promised when Wing Hay, the fighting Chinaman, takes another poke at Danny Pastroe, rugged local fighter. These lads are hounds for mixing, and when they start nothing stops the flurry of gloves but the gong and, of course a knockdown.

The curtain raiser will give the local followers of the cauliflower pastime the opportunity of seeing the Fighting War Whoop, from Port Angeles, exchanging wallops with Ted Beales. War Whoop is rated as a man who loves to get in and make things interesting, while Beales certainly knows how to throw the leather. They will fight at 160 pounds.

There has been a steady demand for pasteboards and indications point to a bumper house when the curtain goes up on the show at 8 45 o'clock.

In all of the bouts the third man in the ring will decide the winner, and this gentleman will be no other than Oil Martin, well-known pugilistic figure from Vancouver.

Tickets are still procurable at The Bull, Two Jacks Dope, Empire and Joe Bayley's cigar stands.

CARPET BOWLING

Army and Navy carpet bowlers defeated a team representing the Loyal Orange Association at the later's clubrooms on Thursday evening by 18 points to 10. The game was exciting and the Army and Navy men appeared to be in fine form throughout. Another match is expected to be played in the immediate future. The teams were as follows:

Loyal Orange—McBrettiney, B. Noel, Captain G. Cooney and A. Rogers as skip.

Army and Navy—T. Coomber, T. Low, A. G. Harrison, with A. O. Holloway as skip.

Manitoba Wins

WINNIPEG, Feb 15.—Manitoba University's Co-ed hockey team defeated the University of Alberta here today by 4-0 in the first game of the Western intercollegiate championship series. The local team counted twice in the first period once in the second and once in the third.

Hockey Results

LOS ANGELES, Feb 15.—The San Francisco Seals defeated the Los Angeles Richfields, 3 to 0, in a California Hockey League game at the Winter Garden last night. Ganton Scott scored two goals for the visitors, and Art Oloux one.

Humble Bobby Rowe's Squad by 3-1 Score; Cec. Brown Nets Pair

Pete Muldoon's Crew Climb to Second Berth in P.C.H.L., 2 Points in Front of Portlanders—Bond Scores for Buckaroos

HOW THEY STAND

	W	L.	D.	Pts.
Vancouver	19	5	2	40
Seattle	10	12	4	24
Portland	9	13	4	22
Victoria	6	14	6	18

NEXT WEEK'S GAMES

Monday—Portland vs. Vancouver, at Vancouver.

Tuesday—Portland vs. Victoria, at Victoria.

Thursday—Victoria vs. Portland, at Portland.

Friday—Victoria vs. Seattle at Seattle.

SEATTLE, Feb 15.—The Seattle Eskimos fought off the challenge of the Portland Buckaroos here tonight before another capacity house to retain second place in the Coast League standings. The score was Seattle 3, Portland 1. Two goals scored in a hectic third period gave the Eskimos the advantage after they had been held on even terms for fifty minutes. The game was remarkably clean, for these two teams, at least, "Mickey" Ion finding only five minor infractions that caused his displeasure.

Failure of the Buckaroos to take care of the wing man at critical moments caused their defeat. It was a shot from "Smoky" Harris' stick, after Reinika, left alone on the right wing, had potted Timmins from close in, that gave the Eskimos their winning goal. Several times in addition to that, only great work by Timmins held the puck out of the net when an absolutely free man had a shot at him.

PLAY STARTED SLOW

Both teams were seemingly stiff from their hard-fought game in Portland Thursday night, and the play started exceedingly slow, despite fast ice. Browne took a neat pass from Daly and flipped it by Timmins on a backhand shot to score the first one. Not until after Conn had tied the count, beating "Porky" Levine with another backhand flip from well out, did the action really commence.

Once it did, however, there was plenty of it, and for the final thirty minutes there was action aplenty. Combination play was forgotten for the time being in a wild exhibition of sheer speed and daring that delighted the big crowd, but had Managers Bobby Rowe and Pete Muldoon wild with another idea. Frequent substitutions failed to settle the two teams down until the final period was half over. Then the combination play was resumed, and in short order the Eskimos rolled in a pair of goals, Harris getting the first and Browne the second. Timmins had no chance on either. Harris shot from close in, while Browne's shot was obscured from him until too late.

Line-Ups

Portland		Seattle
Timmins	Goal	Levine
McGoldrick	Defence	Johannonson
Johnson	Defence	Borland
Conn	Forward	Browne
Downie	Forward	Harris
Teel	Forward	Walker
Pratt	Sub	Lowe
Armstrong	Sub	Reinika
Bond	Sub	Sutherland
Sande	Sub	Daly

Summary

First period—1, Seattle, Browne, 4.21.

Second period—2, Portland, Conn, 3 59.

Third period—3, Seattle, Harris, 11.41, 4, Seattle, Browne, 4 01.

Penalties

First period—Teel, Sutherland and Bond.

Second period—Armstrong.

Third period—Pratt.

Referee—"Mickey" Ion.

Priest Invited to Pitch for Long Time

By AL DEMAREE

(Former Pitcher New York Giants)

"Speaking of the funny wise cracks of colored baseball players and fans," said Jim Duffy the other day, "reminds me of one pulled by a colored inmate of the Federal Penitentiary at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas.

"Before the Rev. Father Brooks Hale of Kansas City was ordained, he had made quite a reputation for himself as a pitcher, having twirled for Omaha in the Western League and for several local semi-pro teams.

"One Sunday he pitched against a team composed of inmates of the prison at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas.

"Father Hale, who had pitched an exceptionally fine game, was walking off the field at the conclusion of the contest when a colored prisoner, filled with admiration for his ability on the mound, and elated for winning four bits and some smoking tobacco, walked up to him and whispered, 'Mistah Hale, you all kin come out heah and pitch every Sunday foh de nex' ten yeahs, and I won't miss a game!'"

IMPORTANT HOOP GAMES TONIGHT

One Championship and Two Knock-out Games Will Be Played at Y.M.C.A. Gym

One Lower Island championship and two Vancouver Island knock-out hoop games will be played at the Y.M.C.A. gymnasium tonight. Victoria High School and the Doo Dads Intermediate "B" cagers will meet in the tussle that will decide the champions of the lower part of Vancouver Island in this division.

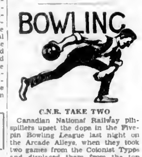
The curtain raiser, which is in the knock-out series, will bring together Victoria College and J.B.A.A. teams in what promises to be a keenly-fought battle. The second tussle of this nature, which by the way is the final game on the programme, will see the C.P.S. opposing the Crescents.

The complete card and starting times is as follows.

7.30—Victoria College vs. J.B.A.A.

8 25—Victoria High School vs. Doo Dads.

8 20—C.P.S. vs. Crescents.



C.N.R. TAKE TWO

Canadian National Railway pin-spillers upset the dope in the Five-pin Bowling League last night on the Arcade Alleys, when they took two games from the Colonist Types and displaced them from the top berth in the league standing. Three members of the C.N.R. team passed the 600 mark, while Bill Dunn was the only player to accomplish this feat for the typemen. F. Youngs led the scorers in both departments of the game with scores of 267 and 667. Scores follow:

Colonist Types				
J Skellern	110	192	145—	447
R. Begg	157	212	129—	498
W Dunn	247	249	152—	648
W. Poole	150	155	157—	462
J Hough	169	170	208—	547
Totals	833	978	791—	2602
C.N.R.				
H Stuart	226	169	121—	516
C Hilton	137	154	153—	444
F Youngs	177	217	273—	667
A Doherty	173	244	186—	603
E. Whitehead	242	151	229—	622
Totals	955	935	962—	2852

THREE PLAYERS FIGURE IN TRADE

NEW YORK, Feb 15.—The New York Americans Hockey Club have obtained Tex White, wing man from Pittsburgh, and have released to the Pirates Eddie Bouchard and Jess Spring. The exchange will be effective for the balance of the season. Bouchard is a wing player, while Spring has been playing defence.

Del Monte Wins

DEL MONTE, Cal., Feb. 15.—Del Monte-San Mateo had a real fight on its hands to win today's polo game, the last of the high goal (handicap) events, from Eastcott, 10-12.

The Del Monte-San Mateo combine started out with a handicap advantage of eight goals.

Wet Grounds

SYDNEY, Australia, Feb 16 (Canadian Press Cable via Reuter's).—No start was possible today in the cricket match between England and New South Wales owing to wet grounds. Rain has fallen here for the past ten days, but ceased today. It was hoped to be able to start the game tomorrow.

"Is your sister fat?"

"Is she fat! She had the mumps three weeks before they found out what was wrong with her."

SOCCER FIELDS IN OLD COUNTRY FROZEN SOLID

Different Methods Are Being Adopted To Better Grounds

Braziers Will Burn All Night on Some Fields, While Others Will Be Covered With Straw—English and Scottish Cup Ties Carded

LONDON, Feb. 15.—All sorts of odd methods are being adopted by English and Scottish football clubs to secure safe playing fields for the cup ties tomorrow. Today the fields were frozen solid. Some clubs will be lighted by braziers over the turf all night, while others will cover the fields with straw.

Chelsea have not announced the personnel of their team against Portsmouth. It is reported Irving and Thain may not be available. Portsmouth will be without McNeil, who has an injured foot. Weddle is around again, and will replace McNeil.

Blackburn Rovers, the cupholders, who meet Bury, have all their regulars on hand. The return of their scoring ace, Roscamp, has acted like a tonic to the remainder of the forwards.

Swindon, the Third Division team which has done so well in cup ties so far, are at full strength.

BOURNEMOUTH STRONG

West Ham will go to Bournemouth without Barrett, their international centre half. Smailes will fill in for him. Bournemouth will be at full strength, with Eyre, who dislocated his collar bone a month ago, fit to play.

Crystal Palace, who go to Huddersfield, will be represented by their strongest eleven, while the home team will be represented also by a powerful side.

Reading has intact the team which eliminated Tottenham, and The Wednesday, while at Aston Villa, will be strengthened by the return of Walker and Tate.

The match between West Bromwich and Bradford probably will be a stern affair.

Bolton expects to throw against Leicester the same team as that which beat Liverpool in the replayed fourth-round cup ties, which was one of the fiercest games ever played in the history of the trophy.

From Scotland comes word that all the teams engaged are well up to full strength.

TRY ME PAYS BIG PRICE IN SECOND

Place Pony Returns $69.80 at Tijuana—Flying Heels Shows Plenty of "Fly"

(Special to The Colonist)

TIJUANA, Feb. 15.—The ladies' day crowd had awakened memories of the Kentucky Derby today at the conclusion of the first race, a half-mile dash for two-year-olds. The brown son of Flying Ebony and Heel Taps, which races for the New Yorker, Gifford A. Cochrane, easily mastered a field of eight youngsters of very high class opposing him. Jockey Willis Kelsay, contract rider for the young millionaire, had the royally bred Flying Heels away like a lark and he took the heat in 46 seconds flat, only two-fifths of a second outside of Sun Meddler's track record. Flying Heels broke from near the outside, and showed plenty of speed and gameness. Gee Whiz, the Sunshot Stable entrant, also displayed a neat effort. Major Kanyon's Lila Stirmell broke a little slower than she usually does but finished stout-heartedly, taking the show money. The was a topheavy choice, paying only three dollars in the machines.

The favorites fared poorly. From the second race on, low reputers held sway and paid very liberally. The highest figure was marked after the place taker in the second, bearing the hunch-beckoning name of Try Me. Even the fair ones spurned the invite and everybody gasped as they shelled out $69.80 for each $2 bill.

Today's results follow:

First race—Four furlongs
Flying Heels (Kelsay) $6.00 $2.80 $2.00
Gee Whiz (Parmalee) 5.00 2.00
Lila Stirmell (Barrett) 2.80
Time, 46. Also ran: Lady Seth, Winnow Hilty, Mae L. Rowe, Sidney Grant, Woodstyle. Scratched: O'Boyle, Foreign Club, Valley, Ed Lark.

Second race—Six furlongs
War Bird (Trivett) $11.00 $10.20 $4.00
Try Me (Steffan) 69.80 13.00
Glint o' Gold (Schenk) 3.80
Time, 1.18 4-5. Also ran: Domesticated, Many Flaws, Silent Lillian, Cry Baby, Rockiluna, Ann Curtis. Scratched: Crispin Seth, Zora.

Third race—Six furlongs
Argus (Wood) $27.00 $17.00 $8.00
Woodlace (O Lyons) 8.00 6.00
Rolling Star (Douglas) 6.80
Time, 1.12 4-5. Also ran: Hawkshaw, Musketeer, Miss Rourire, Laddie Buck, General Seth, Constitution, Red Pennant, Hill and Hill, Kinabank, Kalani. Scratched: Leo Lampe, He Effort, Knockabout, Brunswick, Ritter.

Fourth race—Mile and seventy yards
Supervisor (Owens) $18.20 $8.40 $3.40
Darius (Douglas) 5.00 8.80
Louie Wright (Cody) 4.00
Time, 1.45 4-5. Also ran: Welty, Brian Kent, Crowner Catesby, Eagles Home, Kid North, Gondolier, Buddy Clark, Wee Girl. Scratched: Dr. Glenn, Murky, Galloping Joe, Pretext, Private Seth, Ensenada.

Fifth race—One mile
Dan B (Barrett) $3.40 $14.40 $11.40
Shasta Cherry (Wilson) 10.00 7.00
Consent (Butler) 7.00
Time, 1.42 1-5. Also ran: Barris Oliver, Olive Whittier, Audrey A, Lucia, El Monte, King Flame, Harcam, Seth's Ballot, Will Ward. Scratched: Money's Worth, Lampasas, Susarreye, Gallardo, Vapor.

Sixth race—Five and one-half furlongs
Captisle (Hurlburt) $8.20 $4.00 $3.00
Glad Effort (Jones) 7.00 4.00
Shasta Pear (Woolf) 4.40
Time, 1.08 1-5. Also ran: Shasta Maple, Sidahla, Gen Rickey.

Seventh race—Mile and one-quarter
Apple Cross (Allen) $8.80 $6.00 $4.00
Berossus (Warden) 11.40 8.20
Omrah (Mean) 6.80
Time, 2.06 4-5. Also ran: Firth of Tay, Inca, Creatan, Yorkhome. Scratched: Tangram.

Eighth race—Mile and one-sixteenth
Worthmae (Garrity) $18.20 $7.20 $5.40
Bluefish (Schenk) 8.00 4.40
Shasta Sally (Barrett) 7.00
Time, 1.47 2-5. Also ran: Coffield, Totara, Starless, Hands Up, Shasta Monk, Venture, Ben Handley, Bonnie Marguerite, Chick Up. Scratched: Kischial Macher, Engadine, Captain Guard, Lanois, Ponimos.

Ninth race—Mile and one-sixteenth
Fred Dubner (Hurlburt) $19.00 $6.80 $8.00
Rattle On (Miller) 8.00 5.00
Circuit (Garrity) 6.00
Time, 1.47 4-5. Also ran: Shasta Chick, Green Hills, Alma, Quinine, Esther Weidel, Bobby Jones, Princess Hermes, King Lehr, Rural Gossip. Scratched: Whistler, Queen Olivia, Mollie Dear.

OVERNIGHT ENTRIES

First race—Six furlongs	
Needive	1?6
Coy	1?5
Veil	107
*Visor	104
Puckaneaks	111
Realist	111
Cobra	103
Moda	99
Manes	104
Minister	107
Ray	103
Almgren	105
Campilley	111
Duck It	107
Common Denominator	113
Knockabout	109
*Paige	101
*McNamara entry	
Second race—Five and one-half furlongs	
My Side	102
Albert	109
Via	118
Charming Shot	107
Salamea	95
Hodge Podge	97
Donna Vera	85
Cas Walser	107
Meta Frances	95
Wesya	102
Kalebuck	102
Daw	84
Bunce	104
Busy Seth	107
Judge Flanagan	87
Sherry O	107
Yucca	101
Golden Actress	95
Third race—Six furlongs	
Saltrome	100
Sonny Walles	103
*Magdalena	101
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Glasgow Hikers To Be in London By February 24

LONDON, Feb. 15.—Six contingents of unemployed men are now converging on London after marching from various industrial centres in England and Scotland. They plan a demonstration here on February 24.

They have been given generous aid en route and notwithstanding the bitter weather, few seem to have abandoned the march. On the other hand, there has been little increase in their numbers and the total of those arriving is not likely to exceed a few hundred.

EXPLOSION KILLS THREE

NORFOLK, W. Va., Feb. 15.—Three men were killed and five injured in an explosion late today at the army ordnance department at Pig Point, near Portsmouth. The dead were Clyde Curling, John Duncan and Sam Freeman, all civilian employees.

This Life!
By J. H. STRIEBEL

At last—Sonny is to find out about those pretty shiny things in the bowl of water—but—a fatal slip and now see what has happened!

FUNDED DEBT OF OAK BAY REDUCED

Report of Mr. R. F. Blandy, Treasurer, Shows Municipal Finances in Good Shape

The report of Mr. R. F. Blandy, treasurer for the Municipality of Oak Bay, shows that the funded debt last year was reduced by $41,300, now standing at $914,712.

Sinking funds, including housing funds, total $401,195, and are $48,580 in excess of requirements. The net debenture debt is $513,517. By the end of 1930, all of the pre-war local improvement debentures will be fully protected and the respective levies will cease. The bulk of the "general" debt, $437,400, does not expire till the 1938-1944 period, and $210,500 runs till 1962. The debt burden will therefore be somewhat heavy for at least ten more years, apart from new issues. The debt situation has improved considerably in recent years. In 1920 the debt stood at $1,349,174 and $434,462 has been retired in the past eight years.

Unappropriated cash and investments on hand total $43,974, and advances to local improvements, to be repaid to general fund in 1929, are $10,100 against these assets only $2,274 is owing in immediate accounts payable, including goods on order.

There was a slight increase over 1927 in the taxes imposed, but the levy was lower than in any other year since 1918.

Receipts exceeded the estimates by $15,000. Taxes and water rates contributed chiefly to this excess, and about $2,000 consists of specific payments for sewers and other work. The percentage of current taxes paid was 92.4.

A DISTURBING FACTOR

"A disturbing element to the situation is that expenditure tends to outgrow revenue in a growing municipality. This applies generally throughout British Columbia," says Mr. Blandy in his report.

"The increase in taxable assessment due to new buildings is more than swallowed up in increased outlay. For example, a new house in Oak Bay, assessed at $4,000, brings in about $26 a year in new revenue, while the direct services to that house associated with new population average about $80 a year.

"Education alone averages $48 per household. As a partial means of meeting the situation the council increased the percentage of improvements to be taxed from 25 per cent to 30 per cent. The main difficulty, however, lies in the defective system of financing public requirements which prevails in the province. This system is wanting in elasticity, and real property is made to bear an excessive proportion of the public burden," Mr. Blandy concludes.

REVISED ASSESSMENT

The revised gross assessment on land and improvements now stands at $9,927,276, it was revealed yesterday from accounts of the court of revision of the assessment roll of Oak Bay. Land was assessed at $3,675,484. A reduction of $1,990 brings the figure to $3,673,494. Improvements totaling $6,253,782 added to this figure give the total of $9,927,276.

Last year land was assessed at $3,457,410 and improvements at $5,696,452 giving a gross assessment of $9,153,862.

Improvements this year totaling $6,267,402 were reduced by $13,620, giving the figure of $6,253,782.

"There are several methods of getting into night clubs," says J. D. Cassells. "One is to join the police force."

CREE INDIANS IN DIRE NEED

NATIVES IN NORTHEASTERN MANITOBA FACE STARVATION—NO GAME

Influenza Ravages Bands in Northern Ontario—Airmen Find Great Distress

WINNIPEG, Feb. 15.—That 1,317 Indians to two great Northwestern Manitoba reservations were on the verge of starvation was the statement made here today by W. E. Hutty, United Church missionary at Nelson House, and Matthew Wood, Cree councillor of Nelson Reserve. The conditions in Nelson House and Norway House reservations they attributed to the fact that it was illegal for the Indians to kill beaver for food and clothing.

They stated that the government officials had refused their request that the ban on beaver hunting be removed.

The Arctic deer and rabbits, said Mr. Hutty, have disappeared and there was no fish in the lakes and rivers.

"Actually half of the population," he declared, "is poverty stricken and has no food."

J. R. Dunn, Inspector of Indians for the Dominion Government, stated he did not agree that the solution of the problem was to throw open the right to trap beaver. He had, he said, sent a letter to the Indian agent at The Pas, giving him authority to deal with cases of want from the stores on hand.

IN ONTARIO

TORONTO, Feb. 15.—A graphic description of the sufferings of the Indians of Northwestern Ontario, among whom several deaths have occurred in the influenza epidemic, is contained in a letter received by the provincial authorities from Pilot Gifford Swartman, who flew with Dr. G. L. Bell, of Sioux Lookout, to the afflicted districts.

In one place Dr. Bell and the airman came across a shack, eight feet by ten feet, with the door gone and holes in the roof. Inside, jammed together like tinned fish lay fifteen Indians, men, women and children. Three of them had been dead for eight hours.

Nobody had moved them because nobody had sufficient strength to get up.

Outside a dog lay dead at the end of its tether—dead from the flu and lack of food and the cold, 30 below zero. Two other dogs, eyes glazed, staggered in circles at the front of the shack, dying on their feet.

The letter told the tale of the flight, relating how they located suffering families by wisps of chimney smoke. On one trap line back of Pickle Lake they came across an old Indian, suffering severely from malnutrition, who cried:

"Not me sick. There"—and he pointed up country—"many more Injuns sick and know not how to do."

Letters to the Editor

No letter to the Editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exceptions.

SAANICH SECESSION

Sir,—I shall be grateful if you will accord me the courtesy of your columns, as I am anxious to know why the Municipality of Saanich is so distressed that 753 of his residents wish to be under the jurisdiction of the province?

It wants our money; and we want some things in exchange for that commodity.

Our roads are terrible, except the main roads. To be healthy it is necessary to instal our own water system, electric light and septic tank. Under the circumstances we cannot afford to assist others nearer town to pay for sewers, etc., when we have no assistance, not even a road fit for an ambulance if there was sickness.

In December, 1928, Saanich Council announced in the public press that its affairs were flourishing and it had a substantial surplus in the exchequer; it is difficult to see anything to be pleased with in that statement when there are roads in such poor repair and lakes to be policed to prevent their pollution.

I am told at Shawnigan Lake no one is allowed to have a hole for discarded tins or rubbish except at a distance of fifty feet in case of polluting the lake.

Prevention of disease is much easier and less expensive for a municipality than an epidemic.

I suppose I bring the number up to 754 that wish secession. My name is not on the list. I was probably not at home when the list was brought around.

The whole trouble seems to be that the municipality is too large.

E. FRANCES G. McGREGOR
"Gregarach," Prospect Lake, B.C., February 14, 1929.

MOUNTAIN THREATENS TO OVERWHELM CITY

SANTOS, Brazil, Feb. 15.—Mont Serrat, the elevation of loose earth and boulders which last March killed eighty-one residents at the base by overwhelming the houses with avalanches of mud, is again threatening a catastrophe. Continuous rains have loosened the soil and cracks two feet wide have appeared near the casino. Blocks of stone began falling down on the sides yesterday. One wing of the Charity Hospital has been ordered closed. All occupants of houses in the threatened vicinity have been warned.

ZUYDER ZEE FROZEN

AMSTERDAM, Feb. 15.—For the first time in living memory pedestrians today were able to walk across the frozen Zuyder Zee from Enkhuizen to the Island of Urk.

Work on Railway, Ottawa-Abitibi, To Begin May 1

OTTAWA, Feb. 15.—The Citizen today gives prominence to the following:

"Construction on the Abitibi Southern Railway, which will connect Amos, Que., in the northern mining area, with Maniwaki, Hull and Ottawa, will be commenced May 1 next.

"This announcement is made by Mr. Clifford T. McAllister, who has arranged the financing of the construction of the new railway line, which will be 240 miles long and is to cost in the neighborhood of $10,000,000. It is understood that General Motors, together with a number of well-known Canadian financial interests, is behind the new railway, which will open up a territory of 6,500,000 square miles where there is valuable timber, agricultural possibilities and mineral resources.

"The head offices of the Abitibi Railway Company will be in Montreal. The railway will take three years to build."

Young Should Be Trained to Take Care of Physique

OTTAWA, Feb. 15.—Various measures adopted to promote the work of the organization were outlined by provincial delegates attending the annual meeting of the National Safety League here today. The annual meeting of the Ontario Safety League was held in conjunction with the main convention.

Hon. Mrs. M. E. Smith, ex-M.P.P., Vancouver, stressed the importance of educational propaganda and the need of tackling the problem of safety from a national viewpoint.

"We need to train the young people to take care of their bodies as well as their minds," she said. "Every life means so much to this nation and we need them all."

Sir John Gibson was re-elected president of the league, while the following will comprise the executive committee during the ensuing term: B. A. Bourgeois, Maritime Provinces; J. F. H. Wyse, C. A. Campbell, W. C. Coulter, Dr. P. E. Doolittle, T. A. Stevenson, Arthur Hewitt, R. B. Morley, E. J. L. L'Esperance, all of Toronto; Tom Moore, Ottawa; C. K. Newcombe, Winnipeg; R. M. Read, Quebec; C. Howard Smith, Montreal; Hon. Mrs. Mary Ellen Smith, Vancouver; H. H. Ward, Ottawa; E. S. H. Winn, K.C., Vancouver.

MR. A. MACKAY, K.C., DIES

MONTREAL, Feb. 15.—Alfred Mackay, K.C., well-known Montreal lawyer, died here today. He had been in charge of the English section of the Judgment Department of the Superior Court of the Montreal district for the last fifteen years.

FATHERS AND SONS HOLD BANQUET

City Temple Gathering Is Occasion of Debate on Influence of Motion Pictures

"Call on Dad" was the theme of a message given by Rev. Dr. Clem Davies, pastor of the Victoria City Temple, to a large group of fathers and sons gathered to the dining-room of the Temple Hall last night for the annual Father and Son banquet. One hundred and sixty-five fathers and sons sat down to the banquet, and a splendid programme was given during the two-hour session.

"The most godlike quality that any boy could have is loyalty to his father," said Dr. Davies, in urging the boys to stand by their fathers through thick and thin.

"Don't ever allow anyone to criticise your father in your presence," he continued, "and always remember that nothing will help a boy so much as the companionship of his father."

An interesting feature of the programme was a debate, conducted by four boys, on whether the cinema had a healthful influence upon the modern boy. Jack Gilbert and [illegible] Cliff, for the affirmative, pointed out the advantages of comedy as making one feel better, mentally and physically. They stressed the value for educational purposes of the historical picture, and the news reel. "Dawn" and "Wings" were mentioned as impressive of the horrors of war, and "Ben-Hur" and "King of Kings" as being of value in religious training. Greater understanding between boys in different walks of life, and the development of hero-worship, were also advanced in favor of the films as an educational factor.

Bert Tippett and James Moyes, for the negative, pointed out that the predominant features of the film story were greed, murder, selfishness and corruption. The prices of the few good pictures shown, it was argued, were above the reach of the average boy. Even in the case of "King of Kings," it was argued, lack of authenticity in the piecing together of the story of Christ's life, gave a misleading impression to the audience.

Mr. W. T. Knott, of Oaklands School, and Mr. J. M. Campbell, of North Ward School, who acted as judges, decided in favor of the negative debaters, at the same time congratulating all four speakers upon their capable handling of the subject.

Miss Mary Piercy, Master Comber and Mr. Frank Partridge also contributed to the very enjoyable programme, and Mr. Bert Hebden made an efficient chairman.

Those of the staff who attended the banquet were Mr. Bert Hebden, superintendent; Mr. A. Lumley, assistant superintendent; Mr. Fred Hole, secretary; Mr. Len Cox, treasurer. Teachers, Messrs. Ralph Snider, Jack Hedley, James Moyes, J. Finnimore and W. E. Bond. Mr. Nelson Goodwin, Hustlers' president, was also present.

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—Mantle Dept., 1st Floor

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Mantle Dept., 1st Floor

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Women's Wool and Silk and Wool Hose, full fashioned and with widened tops, spliced heels and toes. Sawdust, zinc, black, nude, grain, champagne, self colors or mottled with white. A pair **98c**

Women's Reinforced Silk Hose with comfortable hemmed tops, narrowed feet and ankles. Paloma, platinum, silvertone, chateau, nude and grain. Regular $1.00 for **59c**

Women's Wool and Silk Hose, semi-fashioned, with comfortable hemmed tops. Popular shades. Regular $1.00 for **59c**

—Hosiery, Main Floor

SATIN PRINCESS SLIPS

Regular $5.75 Each for **$3.95**

Slips of excellent quality satin, made in opera-top style with fancy skirts. Shown in shades of blue, brown, grey, etc. Regular $5.75 each for **$3.95**

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Children's Ready-to-Wear

Children's Flannel Pantie Dresses with contrasting collars and cuffs. Shown in fawn, green, blue and rose. Sizes 2 to 6 years. Values to $2.95 each for **$1.00**

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Children's Beacon Cloth Kimonos, in fancy patterns. Size 2 only. Each **$1.00**

Girls' Princess Slips and Gowns of fine quality. Assorted styles and shades. Priced at, each **$1.00**

Girls' Print Dresses in assorted styles and shades. Sizes 8 to 14 years. Each **98¢**

Girls' White Broadcloth Waists with Peter Pan collars and band at bottom. Splendid for wear with school uniforms. Sizes 8 to 14 years. Each **$1.50**

—Children's Wear, 1st Floor

Silks on Sale Dollar Day

36-Inch Black Baronette with bright sheen. A yard, **$1.00**

36-Inch Figured Linings, a silk and cotton material in attractive designs. Regular a yard $1.50 for **$1.00**

54-Inch Jersey Silks, circular and close weave. Mauve, Nile and grey. Regular a yard $1.98 for **$1.00**

Navy Charmeuse, 25 yards only. A good shade of navy. Regular a yard $2.75 for **$1.00**

29-Inch Spun Silk, good grade. Pink, white, blue, maize natural, old rose and green. A yard. **59¢**

—Silks, Main Floor

CHILDREN'S HOSIERY

Golf Hose, medium ribbed style, with turn-over tops in contrast. A range of heather mixtures. Sizes 6½ to 8½ **29c**

Wool Golf Hose, ribbed cashmere and heather worsted. Neat turn-over tops in contrast. For boys' or girls' wear. Regular $1.25 for **59c**

Children's Ribbed Cotton Hose, full length, well reinforced. Brown, fawn, black and white. Sizes 6½ to 10. 4 pairs for **$1.00**

Children's All-Wool Three-Quarter Socks with ribbed tops. Navy, saxe, brown, Tussore and black. Sizes 6½ to 10. A pair **65c**

—Children's Hosiery, Lower Main Floor

Woolen Dress Fabrics

36-Inch Check Material, a small check woolen material for children's dresses. Blue and white, green and white, red and white. A yard **$1.00**

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27-Inch Hand-Woven Tweeds. Browns only. Very serviceable. 1½ yards for **$1.00**

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Patent Leather Strap Shoes in ten different designs; low, Cuban and Spanish heels.
Black Kid Strap Shoes, with covered heels.
All sizes. A pair **$2.95**

Women's Shoes. On Sale, a Pair $3.95

Patent Leather Pumps and D'Orsays.
Patent Leather Straps in plain and novelty effects, with Cuban or Spanish heels.
Brown and Black Calf Brogues.
Tan Calf and Brown Kid Ties.
All sizes. Dollar Day, a pair **$3.95**

Women's Boudoir Slippers. On Sale, a Pair 75c

Colored Leather Slippers, with soft leather soles and rubber heels. A pair **75¢**

Boys' School Boots. On Sale, a pair $2.95

Strong Grain Leather Boots, with Panco soles.
Brown and Black Box Tip Boots, with leather soles.
All sizes. A pair **$2.95**

Men's Work Boots. On Sale, a Pair $3.95

Black Grain Leather Boots, with Panco soles and leather middle soles.
All-Leather Boots in tan and black grain.
Plain-Toe Elk Boots, with Goodyear welts and double soles.
Mocassin-Vamp Boots, with flexible sewn Panco soles.
All sizes, a pair **$3.95**

Men's Dress Shoes. On Sale, a Pair $3.95

Goodyear Welted Boots and Oxfords, in black and tan leathers. Double or single soles and a wide variety of shapes and styles. All sizes. A pair **$3.95**

Men's Slippers. On Sale, a Pair $1.95

Black Leather Slippers, with flexible sewn soles. All sizes, a pair **$1.95**

—Lower Main Floor

All Winter Millinery
$1.00

All our Winter Hats, including felt and velour models, feather turbans and hats of satin, velvet and metallic materials. Priced for Dollar Day clearance at **$1.00**

—Millinery, 1st Floor

Babywear at Dollar Day Prices

White Flannelette Barracoats in a good heavy quality. Trimmed with silk stitching. Each **$1.00**

Babies' Teddy Blankets with animal designs in pink and blue. Each **$1.00**

Rompers of good quality broadcloth, trimmed in contrasting shades. Sizes 6 months to 2 years. Each. **95¢**

Other Broadcloth Rompers, in sizes 6 months to 2 years. Each **69¢**

Hats and Bonnets to clear at, each **50¢**

—1st Floor

ART NEEDLEWORK

Pillow Cases of tubular cotton, hemstitched and stamped for embroidery. A pair **$1.00**

Laundry Bags of unbleached cotton, colored borders, made up and stamped for embroidery **2 for $1.00**

Bedroom Sets of linene. Peach, yellow and green. Bureau and buffet scarves to match **2 for $1.00**

—Art Needlework, 1st Floor

Foundation Garments
At Dollar Day Prices

Corselettes of good weight rayon-striped cotton, boned down back and across abdomen, with elastic insets in the sides. Each **$1.00**

Medium Length Corselettes of rayon-striped cotton with swami silk top. Each **$1.95**

Odd sizes in Back-Laced Corsets of pink brocades and white coutil. Medium bust and elastic top models. Six hose supporters. Regular $5.00 each for **$2.50**

Back-Laced Corsets of fancy pink cotton with elastic top, lightly boned. Four hose supporters. Each **$1.25**

Bandette Brassieres of fancy satin-striped cotton. Back hook. Priced at, each. **39¢**

—Corsets, 1st Floor

Dollar Day Bargains in

Women's and Children's Underwear

250 pairs only of Women's Heavy Rayon Silk Bloomers, in white, pink, peach, Nile, mauve and coral. Small, medium and large sizes. Regular $2.75 a pair, for **98¢**

Infants' Vests in pure wool and silk and wool. Sizes 12 to 18. Regular $1.00 each. Dollar Day **2 for $1.00**

150 only, Rayon Silk Teddies and Step-Ins, Harvey's and Wood's Lavender Line, strictly tailored, and shades in white, pink, peach, orchid and Nile. Regular $2.75 a pair, for **$1.00**

Rayon Silk Vests and Bloomers, in all popular shades. Vests with opera or shaped tops, and bloomers cut with a large gusset. Small, medium and large sizes. Each **89¢**

Odd lines and sizes in Women's Winter Weight Combinations. Values to $3.00 a garment. Reduced to **$1.00**

Children's Fleeced Cotton Bloomers, in pink, peach, rose, black, cream and navy. Sizes 2 to 14 years. A pair **39¢**

Women's Rayon Silk Vests, Bloomers and Pantees. All good colors and sizes. Good value at, a garment **$1.00**

Odd lines of Children's Rayon Vests. Regular 75c each. Reduced to **3 for $1.00**

Children's Rayon Silk Combinations, made with drop seat. Sizes 2 to 8 years. Regular $1.75 a pair, for **$1.00**

Women's Fleeced Cotton Bloomers, in pink, peach, mauve and navy. Sizes 36, 40 and 44. Regular 50c pair. Priced at 3 pairs for **$1.00**

—Knit Underwear, 1st Floor

Bargains in Notions

Shopping Bags, strong and practical, in fancy stripe effects; two sizes. Each **39c**

Asbestos Hot Pads, set of three pads and holder, for the kitchen. A set **39c**

Boil-Proof Elastic, quarter-inch wide, double stretch quality, 3 yards for **10c**

Dress Shields of rubberized nainsook, blue, pink, green and white. A pair **20c**

Slumber Nets of art silk, for preserving the curl after water-waving. Assorted colors. Regular 25c, for **15c**

Shoe Bags of fancy art cretonne; will hold six shoes; steel eyelet for hanging on cupboard door. Each **50c**

Zipper Top Sponge Bags of rubberized floral cretonne. Each **75c**

—Notions, 1st Floor

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—Handkerchiefs, Main Floor

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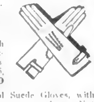


Novelty French Kid Gloves, with fancy turn back cuffs and silk-embroidered points. Broken lines. Sizes 5¾ to 6¾. Regular $2.95, for **$1.50**

16-Button-Length French Kid and Suede Gloves, with three-button fastening. Black, brown, grey and tan. Not all sizes in each shade. Regular $5.50, for **$1.50**

Novelty Silk Gloves, a limited quantity only, turn-back or flare cuffs. Regular $1.50, for **$1.00**

Kayser Chamoisette Gloves, regulation wrist length, with two dome clasps. Popular shades. A pair **50¢**

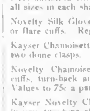
Novelty Chamoisette Gloves, with fancy embroidered cuffs, turn-back and flare styles. New Spring shades. Values to 75c a pair **59¢**

Kayser Novelty Chamoisette Gloves, tailored style cuffs in new two-tone effect. Full range of shades and sizes. A pair **$1.00**

Pull On Gauntlets of fine suede fabric, with saddle stitch or plain seams. Dressy and in choice shades. Pair, **$1.00**

—Gloves, Main Floor

Leather Handbags



Regular $1.98, for **$1.59**

Handbags in pouch style, on reliable frames; fitted with swing purse, fancy grain leathers. Dollar Day **$1.59**

Ladies' Handbags of novelty fancy grain leather pouch style, with inner swing purse; all wanted shades. Regular $3.95, for **$2.98**

—Handbags, Main Floor

ART RAG RUGS, 2 FOR $1.00

Art Rag Rugs, 27 x 54 inches, in mottled designs with fringed ends. A useful size mat. Special at .... **2 for $1.00**

—Carpets, 2nd Floor

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VOILE AND PRINT APRONS, 95c EACH

A good selection of smart styles in Voile and Print Aprons; shown in a variety of attractive color combinations. Each, **95¢**

—Whitewear, 1st Floor

Today Is Dollar Day at Spencer's

One of the Greatest Bargain Days of the Year

45 Men's Overcoats

Regular Values to $35.00 for

$15.00

A grouping of the balance of our Fall Overcoats—medium and heavy weight. All-wool coatings, silk lined, a range of popular shades. Each.... **$15.00**

—Men's Clothing, Main Floor

20 Young Men's Overcoats

Regular Values to $25 for $10

Medium and Heavy-Weight Overcoats—browns, fawns and mixed tweeds; single or double-breasted. Sizes 34 to 38. Each.................. **$10.00**

—Men's Clothing, Main Floor

Bargains in the Boys' Store

Boys' Heavy Fleece-Lined Sleepers, with feet. Sizes for 3 to 8 years. Values to $1.25, for .... **50¢**

Boys' Fancy Pure Wool Golf Hose, with fancy turn-down tops. Sizes for 6 to 9 years. A pair .... **50¢**

Boys' Heavy Wool Sweaters, lumberjack style, assorted shades. Sizes 28 to 32. Values to $6.00, for.......... **$1.00**

Youth's Work Shirts, of large check shirting. Collar attached. Sizes 12½ to 14½ **$1.00**

Boys' Long Pants of Fox's serge. Sizes 26 to 32. A pair **$2.95**

Boys' Coveralls of khaki drill, with red or blue trim, for 3 to 8 years **$1.00**

Girls' and Women's Oilskin Coats, in red, green and yellow; broken sizes from 22 to 38. Values to $5.75, for **$2.00**

—Boys' Store, Gov't Street

50 Men's Suits

Regular Values to $22.50 for

$10.00

Single and Double-Breasted Suits, tailored from rough serges and tweeds. Tweeds in greys, brown, checks and herringbones. Sizes 34 to 40........... **$10.00**

—Men's Clothing, Main Floor

Men's Two-Pant

Tweed Suits

At $17.95

Made from excellent grade tweeds, single or double-breasted; brown, stripes and fancy tweeds. With two pairs of pants. Dollar Day.......... **$17.95**

—Men's Clothing, Main Floor

Men's Fine Shoes

On Sale Dollar Day, A Pair **$4.95**

Black and Brown Oxfords with double or single soles in a big choice of styles and all sizes. A fine quality shoe reduced for Dollar Day to, a pair **$4.95**

—Main Floor

Comforters, Bedspreads and Blankets

Comforter Covers of silkoline, chintz, etc.; many colors. Size 66 x 72 inches.......... **$2.00**

Krinklette Bedspreads with colored stripe in blue, rose and gold.
Three-quarter bed size **$2.15**
Double bed size **$2.35**

Fancy Plaid Blankets in pleasing color combinations.
Three-quarter bed size at, each **$1.50**
Double bed size, each **$1.75**
Extra heavy weight, pair, **$3.25**

Cotton-Filled Comforters, well filled and ready covered. Each **$2.75**

White Wool Blankets, three-quarter bed size, pair, **$6.25**

Double bed size, a pair. **$7.95**

15 only, Grey Wool Blankets for camp or household use 64 x 84 inches. A pair **$5.95**

—Staple Dept., Main Floor

Towels and Towelling

Pure Linen Tea Towels, with colored borders; red, gold and green. **5** for **$1.00**

Extra Large Union Tea Towels, red stripe with tape for hanging. **4** for **$1.00**

Linen Crash Roller Towels. **2** for **$1.00**

Striped Turkish Roller Towels, 2½ yards long. Each **$1.00**

Tea Toweling with blue stripe, 20-inch. **7** yards for.......... **$1.00**

Pure Linen Crash Towels. **5** yards for **$1.00**

Fancy Turkish Towels with colored border; blue, gold, rose, green and mauve. **7** for **$1.00**

White and Stripe Turkish Towels, heavy weight. **3** for **$1.00**

Extra Large White Bath Towels, **2** for. **$1.00**

Fancy Huck Towels with colored borders. **3** for **$1.00**

—Staple Dept., Main Floor

COCOA MATS

Cocoa Mats, 16 x 27 inches. A serviceable quality and useful size. Each. .... **59¢**

Cocoa Mats, 14 x 24 inches, of finest quality cocoa matting. Special on Dollar Day, each **$1.00**

—Carpets, 2nd Floor

Dollar Day Values in WASH GOODS

Blue Dress Linen, 36 inches wide. **2** yards for. **$1.00**

Odds and ends of Wash Fabrics, including plain-colored and fancy rayons, printed batistes, dimities, etc. Price, **3** yards for. **$1.00**

750 yards good weight Dress and Apron Ginghams. Price **7** yards for **$1.00**

A big range of White and Colored Broadcloths in all popular shades. Price, **3½** yards for **$1.00**

—Staples, Main Floor

Flannelettes and and Cantons

For Dollar Day

Heavyweight White Flannelette, 36 inches wide. Price **4** yards for **$1.00**

Striped Flannelette in attractive colorings and designs; 36 inches wide. Price, **6** yards for **$1.00**

Bleached and Unbleached Canton Flannel, for diapers, etc. Price, **5½** yards **$1.00**

—Staples, Main Floor

Drug Sundries and Toiletries

Vacuum Bottles, pint size. Each has a handled cup. Wonderful value .... **50¢**
Or .... **2** for **95¢**

Talcums, 1 pound in each, **20¢**

Hair Brush and Comb. Special value, the two for.......... **$1.00**

Bath Crystals, 50c bottles of violet, eau de cologne and lavender. Each .... **35¢**
Or .... **3** for **$1.00**

Military Hair Brushes, regular $5.50 pair for, per pair, **$3.75**

Hot Water Bottles, $1.75 values at, each **$1.00**

Perfumed Toilet Soap. Bundle of 4 boxes of 3 cakes each (Our usual Dollar Day Soap Special), $1.75 value for **$1.00**

Vibolia, Boracic and Cold Cream Soap, 20c cakes.. **8** for **$1.00**

Malt Extract and Cod Liver Oil, 32-oz. $1.50 size for **$1.00**

Military Brushes with Cloth Brush. $5.75 sets for.. **$4.00**

Ladies' Toiletry Special
$1.85 Value, for **$1.00**

1 Face Powder
1 Powder Puff
1 Compact Rouge
1 Compact Powder
1 Tooth Brush
1 Tooth Soap
1 Tube Face Cream
1 Box of 3 cakes of Hosiery Soap

Men's Shaving Special
$2.00 Value for **$1.00**

1 Auto-Strop Razor and Strop
1 Razor Paste
1 Tube Shaving Cream
1 Styptic Pencil
1 Shaving Brush
1 Tin Talcum

Melba Face Powder Special
With each 75c Box of "Lov' Me" or "Lilac" Face Powder you receive (FREE) either a Tube of Face Cream or a 40c Bottle of Lilac Perfume.

Dollar Day Sale of Men's Shirts

Men's Fine Shirts, in plain shades or fancy stripes on a white ground. Assorted colors and patterns; separate collar to match; various sizes. Price, each **$1.25**

Men's Cotton and Flannelette Work Shirts, made with collar and pocket. Various sizes. Plain blue, grey and black, khaki and dark stripes. Each **$1.00**

English "Superseda" Flannelette Shirts (a flannel finish), pull-over style, stripe patterns; soft neckband and hand cuffs. Dollar Day, each **$1.69**

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

DAMASK CLOTHS, $1.00 EACH

White Damask Cloths, 54 x 54 inches. Each. **$1.00**

Damask Napkins, hemmed ready for use, **8** for **$1.00**

Japanese Crepe Tea and Lunch Cloths. 36 x 45 inches. Price, **2** for **$1.00**

Cream Damask for breakfast and lunch cloths. Price, **2½** yards for **$1.00**

—Linens, Main Floor

Dollar Day Bargains in the Drapery Department

Cretonne, 36 inches wide, practically reversible, good weight, good designs. **2** yards for **$1.00**

Cretonne, 27 and 33 inches wide. A selection of patterns. Price, **4** yards for **$1.00**

Colored Cross-Bar Curtain Marquisette, 33 inches wide. White or ivory ground; rose, blue or gold. **4** yards for **$1.00**

—Drapery, 2nd Floor

Dollar Day Bargains in the Stationery and Book Sections

Boxes of Stationery, **2** for **$1.00**

Photograph Frames, metal, **2** for. **$1.00**

Polished Wood Frames, postcard size, **4** for **$1.00**

Writing Pads, a snap, **5** for. **$1.00**

Envelopes, business or note size, **3** packets for **25¢**

Paper Napkins, fancy borders, **3** for. .... **25¢**

A table of assorted Copyright Novels, each **$1.00**

Tom Swift Book, Bunny Brown, Curley Top, Bobsey Twins. **2** for. **$1.00**

A table of assorted Books, each.......... **$1.00**

—Lower Main Floor

WOMEN'S UNDERWEAR

On the Bargain Highway

Women's Rayon Silk Vests and Bloomers. Shades are flesh, orchid, peach, Nile, sky and maize. Each. **69¢**

Women's Rayon Silk Bloomers and Vests. Large range of popular shades. Good grade. Each .... **98¢**

—Bargain Highway, Lower Main Floor

Men's Sweaters

On Sale Dollar Day

Fine Rib Worsted Sweater Coats, V neck style, with two pockets. Shades grey or brown. Various sizes. Priced at, each **$2.39**

Penman's Fleece-Lined Lumberjacks with turn-down collar and two pockets, knitted waistband, fancy designs on a fawn or blue ground. Each **$1.95**

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

SUIT CASES AND BAGS

Fibre Suit Cases with side clasps, heavy corners. Black and brown. Sizes 24 and 26 inches. Each **$1.95**

Leatherette Boston Bags, alligator grain, extension fastener and key. Each, **$1.29**

School Cases, black or brown fibre, side clasps and reinforced corners. Sizes 14 and 16 inches. Each, **$1.00**

—Baggage, Main Floor

Women's Coats and Dresses

On the Bargain Highway

Coats of tweed marvella and fancy coatings, fur trimmed, good shades. Values to $13.50 **$5.00**

Women's Evening and Party Dresses of satin, georgette, crepe de Chine and lace; attractively trimmed. Flesh, maize, Nile, peach and sky. Regular to $10.75 for **$3.98**

Women's House Dresses of ginghams and chambrays. Self colors or check designs. Sizes 34 to 44 .... **98¢**

Misses' and Women's Robberized Raincoats. Shot effects with velvet corduroy collars. Shades blue, green, sand, red and grey. Values to $5.00 for, each **$1.00**

Women's Felt Hats. Many shapes and shades. Newest styles. On sale for. **98¢** and **$1.98**

—Bargain Highway, Lower Main Floor

Sheets and Pillow Cases

Bleached Sheets, free from dressing. Single, three-quarter and double bed size. Each **$1.00**

Bleached and Unbleached Pillow Cases, **5** for **$1.00**

—Main Floor

Men's Art Silk Scarves

Values $1.75 for $1.00

Knitted Art Silk Scarves in assorted colors and stripes; fringed ends. Each..... **$1.00**

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

MEN'S UNDERWEAR

Dollar Day Bargains

Penman's Sanitary Fleece-Lined Shirts and Drawers. Various sizes. A garment .... **89¢**

Heavy Cream Elastic Rib Undershirts, Penman's brand. Broken sizes only. A garment .... **89¢**

Penman's No. 95 Natural Wool Drawers, knee length only. Size 36. Regular a pair $2.25 for **$1.25**

Men's Natural Merino Wool-Finish Cotton Shirts and Drawers. Various sizes. A garment .... **65¢**
Combinations of same grade, a suit **$1.19**

Men's Cream Elastic Rib Shirts and Drawers, medium weight. Various sizes to clear. A garment.......... **65¢**
Combinations, a suit.......... **$1.19**

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

Dollar Day Bargains in the Chinaware Department

Salad Bowls, decorated, each **$1.00**

Water Sets, jug and six tumblers **98¢**

Cups and Saucers, **6** for. **$1.00**

Jug Sets, 3 to a set.......... **$1.00**

32-Piece Breakfast Sets, each. **$2.95**

Decorated China Tea Sets, 32 pieces, a set.. **$2.95**

Lemon Reamer Sets, large size.......... **89¢**

Electric Lamps, complete with cord and socket **98¢**

Alarm Clocks, guaranteed timekeepers **$1.00**

—Chinaware, Lower Main Floor

BARGAINS IN THE HARDWARE DEPARTMENT

12-Oz. Pure Cotton Deck Mops, with smooth handle. Regular 75c, for .... **59¢**

Large Size Galvanized Wash Tubs, with hinge handles. Regular $2.00, for **$1.35**

Large Size Copper-Bottom Boilers, with stout tin sides and covers. Regular $2.75, for **$1.75**

Household Size Food Choppers, with four cutting blades. Regular $2.00, for **$1.35**

"Skimit," the magic siphon cream skimmer. Regular $1.00, for .... **75¢**

6-Quart Pearl Grey Enamel Double Boilers. Regular $2.25, for **$1.49**

8-Quart Pearl Grey Enamel Preserving Kettle, with bail handle. Regular 85c, for .... **69¢**

Pantry Canister Sets of four, for tea, coffee, sugar and flour; blue, red, orange and green, lettered in white. A set **$1.10**

Upright Electric Toasters, nickel plate frame; ribbon element around mica; 6-ft. cord and plugs complete. **$2.50**

Vacuum Washers of stout tin, with handle complete. Regular 95c **59¢**

Three-Piece Bathroom Set of white enamel, tumbler holder, soap tray and sponge basket **$1.00**

Three-Piece Bathroom Set, nickel-plated on brass; sponge basket, soap tray and tumbler holder **$1.75**

Nickel-Plated Enamel Bath Seats **$2.50**

British Plate Glass Mirror, 8 x 16-inch, enamel or oak frames **$1.50**

—Lower Main Floor

250 YARDS ONLY, LACE CURTAIN NETS

5 Yards for $1.00

Good Quality Lace Curtain Nets in all-over designs with lace edging. Regular 29c a yard. On sale Dollar Day, **5** yards for. **$1.00**

—Draperies, 2nd Floor

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FINANCE - COMMERCE - MARKETS

STOCK MARKET EXPERIENCES HEAVY SLUMP

Call Money Jumps From 6½ Per Cent to 10 Per Cent—Most Violent Relapse of Year Occurs

LOSES RECORDED MAKE LONG LIST

NEW YORK, Feb. 15.—The stock market experienced one of the most violent relapses of the year today, as call money jumped from 6 1-2 to 10 per cent, a rate that has not been surpassed since 1921, except during the recent money flurry caused by the January 1 shifting of balances, when it touched 10.

American Express dropped 12 points, while Allied Chemical, Byers, Chicago Northwestern preferred, General Electric, Johns-Manville, Otis Elevator, Rossia Insurance, Standard Milling and Union Carbide were among issues losing from 6 to 10 points. United States Steel, American Can, American Smelling, Consolidated Gas, International Harvester, International Nickel, Kennecott, New York Central, Packard, Simmons and Wright Aero receded about 3 to 4 points. Radio sold off 9 points, but recovered much of its loss.

American & Foreign Power and American Power & Light mounted about 7 and 6 points, the former to a new top, but lost most of their gains. New York Traction issues were strong on expectations of a favorable decision in the 7-cent fare case. Union Tank Car was a strong point, rising 6 points to a new high, in buying influenced by large railway equipment orders.

In foreign exchanges the Canadian dollar dropped to another new 1929 low at 99 63 1-2, making gold shipments to New York highly probable. Sterling and other European currencies ruled somewhat higher during most of the day.

Prices on the bond market continued their downward course after a short rally in the early morning session, as money became scarce and the rate for call loans shot up.

All sections of the list, except the secondary rails, yielded to the selling.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Feb. 15.—Foreign exchanges firm.

France—3 90 6-63; cables 3 90 12-32
Italy—5 23; cables 5 23¼
Belgium—13 90½
Germany—23 80½
Holland—40 09½
Norway—26 66½
Sweden—26.72½
Denmark—26 66½
Switzerland—19.23½
Spain—16 63
Greece—1 20
Poland—1125
Czechoslovakia—2 26
Jugoslavia—1 72
Austria—1406
Argentina—42 15.
Brazil—11 21
Tokio—45 63
Shanghai—63 37½
Montreal—99 63½

STERLING EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Feb. 15.—Demand 485 1-12, cables 485 11-32, sixty-day bills on banks 480½.

AT VICTORIA

Buying 482, selling 486.

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	High	Low	Close
Allied Chem	362	350 4	363
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CHICAGO WHEAT STRONG EARLY

HEAVY LOCAL PROFIT-TAKING BRINGS PRICES LOWER

Foreign News Bullish and Liverpool Strengthening Gradually—Day's Net Change in Corn Small

(Supplied by B.C. Bond Corpn., Ltd.)

CHICAGO, Feb. 15.—Wheat was strong early on bullish foreign news and the gradual strengthening of Liverpool, but the market was called upon to absorb heavy profit-taking on the part of locals, who were of the belief that a reaction was due after the recent advance. This view of the situation, aided by news that Rosafe was offering wheat abroad at fifteen cents under a parity with No. 3 Manitoba, and failure of export business to develop finally overcame considerations and prices closed lower.

Seeding of Winter wheat decreased 25 per cent in the Ukraine and 17 per cent in North Caucasia region of Russia, while advices to the United States Department of Agriculture said that the very cold weather of January had found a light snow covering producing regions of the same country.

These advices also said the cold was general over Central Europe and extended into Northern Italy. Although Broomhall advised that the cold wave had not touched Italy, the same authority later stated that the forecast was for rising temperatures throughout the Continent, but expressed fear that the cold wave would result in considerable abandonment.

India bought more Australian wheat. The weather was somewhat warmer over our Winter wheat belt, and Eastern Kansas had light snow. In view of expected week-end evening up tomorrow, a trading position is suggested.

Corn eased slightly with wheat but net changes for the day were small. May received good support, as yesterday, under one dollar. Around 75,000 bushels were reported booked to arrive, mainly on the advance. This included 10,000 from Kansas City. Argentine news was mostly bullish and to the effect that they were going into the new crop without any reserves of old. Shipments out of that country are diminishing and no clearances are being made from Black Sea ports. Consumers abroad appear to be allowing stocks to decrease and little export buying is reported. Importers there are temporarily out of the market as the cold weather in Europe is interfering with movement. We are inclined to expect a somewhat lower market unless there is improvement in the export demand.

Calgary Oil Stocks

	Sales	High	Low	Close
Advance	112	83	85	86
Alta Pa Con	2,200	1 00	85	1 00
S Diamond	375	25	23	23
British Dom	6,310	64	63	68
Calmont	200	32½	62½	62½
Dalhousie	730	1 90	1 85	1 20
Dermish	1,082	20	47	50
Ill Alberta	2,640	80	85	27
Mayland	420	2 22	2 28	2 65
McD Sesur	240	2 30	2 27½	2 27½
McO Sec (N)	700	1 40	1 87½	1 46
Sesant	1,400	50	82	60
Dallas	246	32	.35	32
Madison	3,000	10	10	10
McLeod	265	2 42	2 32	2 35
Mid West	100	30	30	32
Okalta, pref	2	300 00	285 00	285 00
Royalite	1	87 00	87 00	87 00
Signal Hill	250	17	17	17
Spooner	550	1 25	1 24	1 26
United Oils	300	1 75	1 75	1 75
Vulcan	2,000	22½	92½	62¼
Premold	132	1 37	1 37	1 37
Home Oil	106	7 76	7 73	7 73

VANCOUVER WHEAT

VANCOUVER, Feb. 15.—Futures quotations:

Wheat—	Open	High	Low	Close
March	133b	132b	133b	132b
May	122¼b	132½b	123¼b	133¼b
July	134½b	124½b	134½b	124½b

Cash: No. 1 N, 132½; 3 N, 128¾; 2 N, 132½; 4 wheat, 120; 5 wheat, 116; 2 wheat, 83¼; feed, 87½.

SILVER MARKETS

LONDON, Feb. 15.—Bar silver, 25 3-4d per ounce.

AT NEW YORK

NEW YORK, Feb. 15.—Bar silver, 55 7-8. Mexican dollars, 42 1-8.

Money at Work

Earning, Saving, Investing

STOCK
EARNING POWER
determines the market value of Stock.

Earning power, not book value, is the determining factor in judging what a stock is worth.

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Book value cannot be used as a measure of valuing the market price of a stock. The question then arises—what can be used?

The common stock of the United States Steel Corporation sold at about 25 per cent of its book value. Woolworth stock on the other hand, was commonly found in the market at 300 per cent of its book value. Yet the market price of both stocks ranged between five and eight times their respective earnings per share.

The book value of the stocks has no relation to the market price and both stocks correspond to a certain general earning ratio.

Consequently, in determining the market value of any stock, the most important factor to consider is earning power.

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MONTREAL STOCKS

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MONTREAL PRODUCE

MONTREAL, Feb. 15.—Eggs stronger, cheese and butter firm.
Cheese—Westerns, 23c to 23 1-4c.
Butter—No. 1 Pasteurized, 43 1-4c to 43 1-2c.
Eggs—Storage extras, 38c; firsts, 34c; seconds, 32c; fresh extras, 49c; firsts, 45c.

Victoria Stock Exchange

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VANCOUVER EXCHANGE

MORNING SALES

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AFTERNOON SALES

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NEW YORK SUGAR

NEW YORK, Feb. 15.—Raw sugar was unchanged today, with no sales reported and buyers and sellers fractionally apart. Refiners were willing to pay 3.71 for spots, duty paid, but holders asked from 1-64 to 1 32 cent more. No improvement was reported in the refined market, although withdrawals on old contracts were fair. Prices were unchanged at 4.90 for fine granulated.

NEW YORK CURB

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Whitney Letter

(Supplied by Branson, Brown & Co., Ltd.)

NEW YORK, Feb. 15.—Mr. Whitney, of the Wall Street Financial Bureau, says:

For the first time this year the market in today's session failed in its performance, that is, it failed to live up to what should have been the normal speculative development of the day. This is nothing serious in itself, but it does provide the indication that the character of the market for the time being has changed. I don't believe that we are going to have any sustained reaction, and certainly not any sharp break, but I do believe that the market is going moderately lower, as a whole, with the outstanding characteristic not the decline but the drying up of volume until daily transactions run below three million shares.

In this type of market, which is anticipated the advance (and these will be many) will be conducted in a more orderly manner than have been the advances thus far this year, and, in addition, it will be found that the issues which do advance will be those in which special developments outweight the general sluggish tenor of the market, or are obviously underpriced that the lack of advance would amount almost to a contradiction of the economics in the situation.

From all indications the Federal Reserve policy, either right or wrong will be persisted in until the speculative temper has been toned down—a toning down process which will bring some correction such as the board believes is needed, but will not involve a radical shaking of business confidence through any drastic decline in the stock market.

After the period of sobering is over we will have another advance as the present bull market is not finished yet, and, consequently, there is no necessity for disposing of sound securities nor any reason why those equally sound should not be purchased whenever they are available at concessions from the existing levels.

The New York tractions stood forth as a glaring exception to the the downward trend of today's market. While there is no certainty that the Supreme Court decision in the Interboro case will be handed down on Monday, it is entirely likely that it will be. As previously stated, it is my expectation that this decision will be in favor of the company. Whether or not the decision comes Monday, the New York tractions should be held, and, if not held, bought.

Marine preferred continues to fulfill expectations, but I believe, considering the type of market which we are entering, that, temporarily at least, yesterday's recommendations should be followed, that is, to buy it under 45 and not above. Denver, Rio Grande & Western was another exception which stood forth yesterday, indicating clearly that accumulation of the issue is still in progress. Officials expect the road to earn this year some three million dollars in excess of its earnings for 1928, and look forward to earnings of approximately $18 a share in 1929, an amount which is not so large considering the accomplishments of the last four years, but is, nevertheless, exceptionally large for a railroad issue with half its price represented by dividend accumulation and selling under 70. Continue purchasing this issue any place below $75.

Gotham Knitbac's exceptionally good performance yesterday shows the stock is definitely headed higher.

News of the Mines

(From Solloway, Mills & Co., Vancouver, through R. R. Hunnings & Co., Ltd.)

Big Missouri—Because of the diversity of opinions held in regard to developments in Big Missouri, this firm endeavored to get at facts. Our Coast field man, who has a personal knowledge of the property, expressed an opinion that supports the bullish statements published in Seattle. He believes that the gold values are evenly distributed in silicified porphyry rather than confined to the quartz stringers. He checked his views at other reliable sources and found them in accord. This makes it possible for the development of a large tonnage of ore, whereas if values were confined to the quartz stringers, the pay streaks would be narrow and provide a much smaller tonnage.

Vipond—Vipond has opened its new ore discovery on the fifth level, the 400-foot, and widths and values, $20 ore over five feet, are consistent with the other four levels. The deepest horizon is 866 feet, and there is a feeling that not much greater depth is to be expected. This is undoubtedly due to the fact that previous ore shoots in this area have figured out at depth.

Nipissing—Nipissing mining has optioned the E. R. Patton of The Pas at Vamp Lake. Price is reported as $250,000, the property is about twenty-four miles north and a little west of Cranberry Portage.

OILS

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During this period stocks rose to fairly high prices, but dropped back somewhat during the customary month-end selling. Despite the apparent softness of the market, firmness has been decidedly evident during the last few days, and heavy trading is indicated for the balance of this month.

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FINANCE - COMMERCE - MARKETS

WINNIPEG MART AGAIN ACTIVE

BUYING LARGELY SPECULATIVE FOR LOCAL AND COUNTRY ACCOUNT

Exporters and Seaboard Houses Doing Little — Coarse Grain Market Dull and Featureless

(Supplied by Branson, Brown & Co., Ltd.)

WINNIPEG, Feb. 15.—The wheat market was again active with a fairly broad trade passing, but the buying continued to be largely of a speculative character for local and country account, and there was only moderate outside buying, part of which was credited to outside interests. Exporters and seaboard houses were doing very little, and, so far as could be confirmed, export business overnight was quite small, and bids received indicated that the foreigner was reluctant to follow the upturns on this side.

Prices generally ruled ½c. lower to ½c higher, but the market acted stubbornly firm at around last night's close. The Pool sold moderately around top levels and some local longs were liquidating and taking profits. This is the seventh successive day that wheat prices have advanced and some large local traders were working for a moderate profit.

Buying by the general public is quite broad with new support continually coming in, and it is difficult to see where any material break is going to come from unless general liquidation sets in, which is not likely at present; in fact, the bullish sentiment prevailing can easily carry prices higher. The local cash market continues quiet with buyers showing little interest. Spreads were unchanged to ½c lower.

Broomhall claims that Argentine wheat is underselling the world. Mixed opinion prevails as to actual damage from recent cold weather in Europe and the United States, and extent of damage to crops is only guesswork at the present time.

Coarse Grains—These markets were again dull and rather featureless and, although prices were very firm at the start, they eased off later. Consumptive demand appears to be very limited.

Flax—This market was weak with scattered liquidation in evidence. Demand from American crushers appears to have faded away.

FUTURES

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
May	133⅞	134⅝	133⅛	133⅛
July	135⅝	136	135	135¼
October	134	134⅛	133⅜	133⅝
Oats—				
May	62¼	62⅝	61⅝	61⅝
July	61⅝	61⅝	60⅞	60⅞
October	55⅛	56⅛	55⅞	56⅝
Rye—				
May	116¼	116⅝	116⅝	116¼
July	114⅝	116⅝	114⅞	115⅛
October	106⅛	110⅝	106	106⅝
Barley—				
May	61⅛	62	61¼	61¼
July	60⅝	61⅛	60⅛	60⅛
October	74⅛	74½	74⅛	74⅛
Flax—				
July	208	209½	205½	205⅝
May	211	211⅝	208	208

LIVERPOOL

Open ⅝ to 1 up.
Close 1⅛ to 1⅝ up.

CASH GRAIN CLOSE

Wheat—1 N., 130⅝; 2 N., 128⅛; 3 N., 131⅛; 4, 117⅛; 5, 108½; 6, 90⅛; feed, 80⅛; track, 129¼.

Oats—2 C.W., 73⅛; 3 C.W., 66; extra 1 feed, 66⅝; 1 feed, 63⅝; 2 feed, 31⅛; rejected, 66⅛; track, 71.

Barley—3 C.W., 78¼; 4 C.W., 73¼; rejected, 71¼; feed, 66½; track, 76¼.

Flax—1 N.W.C., 208; 2 C.W., 130; 3 C.W., 193; rejected, 130; track, 208.

Rye—1 C.W., 114⅝; 2 C.W., 114⅝; 3 C.W., 108⅝; rejected, 108⅛; track, 116⅝.

Eastern Markets

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TRADING ITEMS

Mack Trucks is one of the best acting stocks on the list and should make substantial progress on the upside when general market conditions become more settled. Macks' current earnings are running ahead of last year and the prospects for the remainder of 1929 are very promising. We would buy Mack on all recessions.

Anaconda Copper is meeting with excellent buying and should work higher on the current move. The copper industry is in an unusually strong statistical position, and the company's earnings for the current year are expected to show a material improvement over those of 1928. Anaconda still offers possibilities at current levels.

Commercial Solvents is being bought by interests close to the management. Earnings for this year are expected to approach $25 per share as the result of increased returns from the company's by-products division. Commercial Solvents has wide swings, but it offers large profit possibilities on the conservative side.

Bethlehem Steel is expected to make further progress on the upside. The company's outlook for the current year is especially promising. In view of the recent passing of the Cruiser Bill, Bethlehem is a conservative purchase on all minor setbacks.

Chesapeake Corporation, whose assets consist of common stock of the Chesapeake & Ohio Railroad Company, has a liquidating value of about 10 points above its current selling levels. We expect Chesapeake & Ohio to make further progress on the upside this year, which should result in a sympathetic movement in the stock of Chesapeake Corporation.

STOCK SUMMARY

Plan to split the common stock of Sherwin-Williams of Canada 5 for 1 approved by directors.

First National Stores earned $1.20 a common share in quarter ended December 31 vs. 49 cents in 1927; nine months $2.62 vs. $1.53.

Calumet & Hecla Consolidated Copper earned 60 cents a share in quarter ended December 31 vs. 15 cents in 1927, making 1928 net $1.55 against 29 cents in 1927.

Louisiana Oil earned $1.07 a common share in 1928 vs. $4.71, or 6 1-2 per cent preferred share in 1927.

Commercial Investment Trust declared regular quarterly dividend of $1 in cash and 1 per cent in common on common, and $1.75 on 7 per cent first preferred, all payable on April 1, record of March 5.

National Public Service Corporation declared regular quarterly dividend of 40 cents on the class "A" common.

Great Northern Iron Ore Properties declared $1.25 distribution on certificates of beneficial interest.

Indian Pipe Line earned $8.49 a share in 1928 against $9.85 in 1927.

Spang, Chalfant & Co. Inc., year ended December 31, net profit $3,226,116 after charges and taxes against $3,116,802 in 1927.

Advances in semi-finished steel in the Youngstown district expected, and second-quarter mark-up in sheet, bars, slabs and billets appears likely.

Associated Oil earned $2.31 a share in 1928 against $1.54 in 1927.

Tidewater Oil earned $3.85 a share on 2,178,775 common shares in 1928 vs. 92 cents on 2,168,413 shares in 1927.

Milton Damman, president of American Safety Razor, estimates 1928 earnings at $5 a share against $5.03 in 1927.

Heavy melting steel scrap reduced 25 cents a ton in Chicago to $15.75.

Phillips-Jones earned $3.94 a common share on an average number of standing shares in 1928 vs. $4.37 in 1927.

Gotham Silk Hosiery earned $5.60 a share on common in 1928 vs. $8.06 in 1927.

Utility Power & Light acquires Greater London & Counties Trust, owning seven large British power companies and interests in others.

Chesapeake & Ohio declared regular quarterly dividend of $2.50 on common and regular, and semi-annual dividend of $3.25 on preferred.

Hocking Valley declared regular quarterly dividend of $2.50.

New York Federal Reserve Bank made no change in rediscount rate of 5 per cent.

Brokers' loans decreased $101,000,000 in the past week to $5,568,000,000.

WALL STREET MIRROR

Further selling will undoubtedly be seen in today's trading because it is the uncertainty of the situation that brings the most worry to the average trader. The disposition in Wall Street is to continue to lighten trading accounts on the bulges in the hope that stocks can be replaced lower down. There has not been any disposition to advise the short sale of stocks. The action of the stock market on Thursday was not of a nature to inspire confidence in the rank and file of traders, and there was as much selling, or liquidating of long accounts, as there was of replacing lines sold higher up. As mentioned in the Thursday Mirror, big interests who sold stock last week have not started to get back into the market on the long side. If one is not in the market it is still advisable to stay on the side lines until the credit situation is clarified. Sinclair directors at a special meeting scheduled for today are expected to put the stock on a $2.00 dividend basis and to pay a 25 per cent extra.

METAL MARKETS

LONDON, Feb. 15.—Standard copper, spot £76 10s; futures £77 5s. Electrolytic, spot £82 10; futures, £82 10s.

Tin, spot £224 5s; futures, £225 2s 6d.

Lead, spot £22 17s 6d; futures £23.

Zinc, spot and futures, £26 5s.

AT NEW YORK

NEW YORK, Feb. 15.—Copper, firm; electrolytic, spot and futures, 16.

Iron, steady, unchanged.

Lead, steady, spot New York, 6.65; East St. Louis, 6.75.

Zinc, steady, spot and futures, 6.35.

Antimony, 9.62.

MONEY MARKETS

LONDON, Feb. 15.—Money, 4 3-4 per cent. Discount rates: Short bills and three months' bills, 5 5-16 per cent.

AT NEW YORK

NEW YORK, Feb. 15.—Call money strong, high, 10; low, 8 1-2; ruling rate, 8 1-2; closing bid, 10.

Time loans, firm; mixed collateral, 60-90 days, 7 1-2 to 7 3-4; four-six months, 7 1-2 to 7 3-4.

Prime mercantile paper, 5 1-2.

Bankers' acceptances, thirty days, 5 1-4 to 5 1-8; sixty days, 5 3-8 to 5 1-4; ninety days, 5 3-8 to 5 1-4; four months, 5 1-2 to 5 1-4; three-six months, 5 5-8 to 5 2-8.

Latest News From Wall Street

(Supplied by Branson, Brown & Co., Ltd.)

NEW YORK, Feb. 15.—Credit conditions continued the absorbing topic in Wall Street today. With the Federal Reserve Board and the Federal Advisory Council discussing the present situation in Washington, great nervousness was in evidence over the possibility of a statement formulating the Federal Reserve policy regarding loan restrictions. This factor more than offset the relief felt over the reduction of $101,000,000 in brokers' loans last week, and the fact that no increase in the local bank rate was announced following the protracted meeting later Thursday.

After a moderately firm opening, heavy selling was resumed in the general list. Liquidation poured into the market in a steady stream through the middle of the day. While the decline in principal trading stocks was orderly, the leaders worked persistently lower.

Impetus was given the downward movement by the calling of $60,000,000 loans to provide funds for the February 15 instalments. These withdrawals forced the domestic rate to 10 per cent. from the renewal charge of 8 1-2 per cent, increasing the gloom in speculative quarters over the money situation. Weekly Federal Reserve statements demonstrated that the central banking authorities were inflexibly pressing their policy of keeping a firm rein on credit conditions.

Both New York Board and Central Board in Washington held long sessions with indications of deadlocks and gave out no announcements, thus leaving rediscount unchanged at 5 per cent.

Great Northern Iron Ore Properties declares $1.25 dividend on trustees' certificates of beneficial interest, payable April 30, of record April 5. On the same date last year 75 cents was paid. For full year 1928 a total of $2.75 was disbursed, $2 having been distributed December 28.

Calumet & Hecla Copper earned 60 cents a share in the quarter ended December 21, against 15 cents in the 1927 period, making 1928 year's net $1.55, against 29 cents in 1927.

Stewart Warner Speedometer Corporation consolidated balance sheet as of December 31 shows current assets $10,532,685 and current liabilities $2,990,917, against $14,020,957 and $2,112,125, respectively, at the end of 1927. Profit and loss surplus $10,264,575, against $5,896,349.

Chesapeake & Ohio declared regular quarterly dividend of $2.50 on common and regular semi-annual of $3.25 on preferred, payable July 1, record March 8.

Advances in semi-finished steel in Youngstown district expected and second quarter demand anticipated as good. Tin plate business on books sufficient to permit average production at 90 per cent. Steel bar demand heavier, with district capacity averaging 70 to 75 per cent.

Federal Reserve Bank of Boston, conforming to reserve bank changes made in New York, has advanced its buying rates ⅛ per cent on shorter dates and by ¼ per cent on bills running 90 to 180 days. New rates are 1 to 45 days, 5 per cent; 45 to 90 days, 5¼ per cent.

So long as Federal Reserve policy continues along lines indicated by condition statements as of February 12, money will remain firm. Last week twelve reserves reduced holdings of Government securities $22,216,000 and holdings of bankers' acceptances $19,554,000, or total reduction of voluntary Federal reserve credits outstanding of $42,603,000. This is virtually equivalent to a gold export of a similar amount. To make up this reduction, banks increased rediscounts by $52,328,000. Probability is banks will attempt to cut down rediscounts and may call some street loans to do so.

Directors of Gotham Silk Hosiery have proposed that stockholders, at the annual meeting March 4, vote on reclassification of the voting and non-voting common stock into one class of common, all of which will be voting stock, and to increase the authorized amount of such stock to 1,000,000 from 600,000 shares. If the proposition is adopted, holders of 7 per cent cumulative preferred stock with warrants will be entitled on exercise of warrants to receive the new voting stock instead of non-voting stock.

Standard Oil of New Jersey declared usual extra dividend of 12½ cents and regular quarterly dividend of 25 cents, both payable March 15, record February 28.

Great Northern January gross revenue will exceed January, 1928, by about $350,000, said Ralph Budd, president, to The Wall Street Journal. "In January, 1929, our operating expenses increased due to cold weather. We will not charge off during January the $6,500,000 on account of abandoning the old line over the Cascade Mountains."

Hornblower & Weeks—We feel very strongly the pressure of outside considerations must be given such primary attention that we even recommend the sale of the highest grade of stocks held for trading purposes as contrasted with the same stocks held for long-time investments, irrespective of temporary fluctuations.

J. S. Bache—Until pivotal issues show evidence of vigorous support, we would not be disposed to add substantially to current commitments. A waiting policy seems essential until the financial skies are clear.

Utilities Power and Light, net $69,715,196 after expenses, twelve months ended November 30. Consolidated statement for twelve months ended November 30, 1928, shows gross revenue of Utility operating company of $43,117,974, and net after expenses and ordinary taxes $16,715,196.

Sinclair Consolidated Oil Corporation declared a quarterly dividend of 50 cents and extra dividend of 25 cents on the common. It is the intention of directors that the stock be considered on a regular basis of $2 annually, with extra payments depending on oil conditions generally and earnings.

Prairie Pipe Line declared extra dividend of 50 cents and a quarterly dividend of 75 cents, both payable March 1, record February 28. Quarterly dividend places stock on $3 annual basis. On January 4 stock was split four-for-one and stock dividend of 25 per cent was paid. Prior to stock dividends and split-up, quarterly dividends were $3.50.

STOCK MARKET REACTIONARY

Early Firming Tendency Meets With Freer Selling—Orderly Decline Follows

(Supplied by Branson, Brown & Co., Ltd.)

NEW YORK, Feb. 15.—The stock market was a reactionary affair today and acted rather tired, under persistent selling which represented liquidation. The decrease reported in brokers' loans acted as a temporary influence, if of any influence at all, as the early firming tendency met with freer selling and this was the forerunner of the market's orderly decline. There were a few favorable factors such as the resumption of dividend by Sinclair, but they were ignored, and the chief attention was directed to the credit situation following the advance in acceptance rates to 5 1-2 per cent, or 1-2 per cent above the Federal rediscount rate.

As the downward movement in the main body of stocks got under way impetus was given the reaction by the calling of $60,000,000 in loans and a firming in call money to 10 per cent. A statement, if any, emanating from the Federal Reserve Board in session today will have considerable bearing marketwise. Would continue to reduce long holdings of stocks. Sentiment is being strongly impressed with the market's downward trend and freer selling is likely to be witnessed.

U.S. CAPITAL BUYS CONTROL

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NEW YORK, Feb. 15.—Control of seven of the principal British power companies with assets of $150,000,000, has been acquired by the Utilities Power & Light Company, an American concern.

Harley L. Clarke, president of the Utilities Power & Light Company, completed negotiations by transatlantic telephone and then announced that his company had taken over the entire common stock of the Greater London & Counties Trust Limited, which controls the entire capital stock of the seven power companies and the subsidiaries.

Mr. Clarke said this is the first time an American company has taken over British public utilities serving localities in the British Isles, and was probably the most significant tie-up of American and British capital since the war.

The Earl of Birkenhead, formerly Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain and Secretary for India, with whom Mr. Clarke talked on the transatlantic telephone, has been named chairman of the board of the Greater London Counties Trust. The power companies involved in the transaction serve three large areas adjoining London without competition, and, extending east, west, north and south, serve exclusively ninety-five cities and towns in England and Scotland.

Ned—Marriage takes all the poetry out of a fellow.

Edith—Is that so? Then it can't be a failure!

Daily Stock News

(Supplied by Miller, Court & Co., Ltd.)

Noble Five Ships Rich Concentrates—According to an official report sent to Miller, Court & Co. by Paul Lincoln, president and general manager of Noble Five Mines, Ltd., the company's concentrator treated 1145 tons of ore in January, an average of 39 tons per day. Average mill heads amounted to approximately $16.50 per ton. The company shipped 138 tons of lead concentrates for the month, averaging 111 ounces of silver, 55 per cent lead and 5.6 per cent zinc. This concentrate carried a net value to the company of $100 a ton and therefore constitutes the richest concentrates being shipped to the Trail smelter by any company. Mr. Lincoln says that this month the output will be considerably larger and he will also ship 150 tons of zinc concentrate. Meanwhile, development work is progressing very rapidly and, in fact, all the ore handled is coming entirely from development work. It is the company's intention to increase the amount of ore handled in the mill as rapidly as more water is available in Carpenter Creek for power. The company will operate on a basis of not less than 60 tons per day as quickly as possible.

Pend Oreille and Reeves Lead Big Market—With Pend Oreille and Reeves leading, a new high record for the value of shares traded on the Vancouver Stock Exchange was established on Thursday when sales totaled 728,656 shares, valued at $979,972. For the first time in history the value exceeded the number of shares. More money than ever is pouring into the local mining market from all parts of the continent. Close observers of the market believe that yesterday's trading merely foreshadows the greatest mining market in the history of the Pacific Northwest.

Duthie Meeting to Be Held—The annual meeting of Duthie Mines, Ltd., will be held in Vancouver on February 21, when reports of directors on the balance sheet of the company will be submitted for consideration.

FOREIGN BONDS

(Supplied by Branson, Brown & Co., Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Antioquia 7s. 1945. A	93¾	95¾
Argentine 6's. 1957	100	100¼
Austrian 7s. 1943	103	103¾
Belgian 7s. 1955	100	100½
Belgian 7s. 1956	103¾	104
Brazil 6½'s. 1957	90¾	90¾
Buenos Aires 7s. 1957	100¾	101¼
Buenos Aires 7½'s. 1947	103¾	103¾
Chile 6s. 1960	93	93½
Costa Rica 7s. 1951	94	94½
Est Ry 7s. 1954	104¾	104½
French 7s. 1949	107¾	108¼
French 7½'s. 1941	111¾	112½
German 7s. 1949	106½	107
Hungary 7½'s. 1945	130	100¼
Hugo Stinnes 7s. 1936		93¾
Hugo Stinnes 7s. 1946	90¾	90¾
Italy 7s. 1951	96¾	97¼
Jap 6½'s. 1954	100¾	101¼
Nord 6½'s. 1950	100	103¼
Polish 6s. 1940	81¼	81¾
Polish 8s. 1950	97½	97
Seine 7s. 1942	106	106
Siemen & Hal 6½'s. 1951	103¾	104¼
Uruguay 6s. 1960	94	94
Uruguay 6s. 1940	100½	100

VICTORY AND WAR LOANS

VICTORY LOAN, 5½%—TAX FREE

Interest Due—	Buy	Sell
1933. 1st May & Nov	101.90	102.30
1937. 1st June & Dec	104.90	130.25

WAR LOAN, 5%—TAX FREE

	Buy	Sell
1937. 1st Apr & Oct	100.03	100.35
1937. 1st Mar & Sept (Payable New York)	101.00	102.15

VICTORY LOAN, 5½%

	Buy	Sell
1932. 1st May & Nov	100.00	101.20
1934. 1st May & Nov	101.00	100.20

DOMINION LOAN

	Buy	Sell
1934. 15th Apr & Oct., 5%	103.00	103.65
1946. 1st Mar & Sept., 4½%	96.90	97.50
1944. 15th Apr & Oct., 4½%	97.40	98.00
1946. 1st Feb & Aug., 4½%	97.30	98.00
1934. 1st Feb. & Aug. (C.N.R.), 5%	Mkt	
1937. 1st Jan & July (C.N.R.) 4½%	Mkt	

Add accrued interest to Sale
1937. 76 days. 1.145 per $100
1932, 1933, 1934. 106 days. 1.597 per $100
1943. 120 days. 1.665 per $100
1944. 122 days. 1.616 per $100
1946. 14 days. .173 per $100
1937. 73 days. 1.100 per $100
1936, 1933, 1934. 105 days. 1.582 per $100
1946. 122 days. 1.671 per $100
1944. 122 days. 1.504 per $100
1946. 13 days. .158 per $100

Brokerage rate on Victory and War Loans, ⅛ of 1%.

Wife at Willesden—"My husband abuses me terribly, and my baby, aged two, repeats the language after him."

Toronto Mines

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	Sales	High	Low	Close
Abana	13,000	3 25	3 01	3 01
Acacia	500	13	10	10
Amity	2,000	30	27	27
Amulet	5,200	3 85	3 35	3 38
Arno	30,000	1 26	1 13	1 10
Baldwin	13,000	30	47½	47½
Bathurst	500	31	31	31
Berry Hol	1,000	41	41	41
Bedford	16,500	78	76	76
Big Missouri	8,300	3 07	3 00	3 00
Beischatel	11,000	00½	00¾	00¾
Cas Rouyn	1,400	08	07½	07½
Buckingham	10,000	13½	16	16½
Cent Man	600	64½	64½	64½
C. Nushee	300	60	00	00
Chrtley	10,000	27	25	30
Corona	1,000	63¾	00¾	62¾
Crown Res	500	00	00	00
Dome	130	10 30	18 00	10 30
Goldale	1,000	13	13	13
Gold Hill	10,300	00½	00	00½
Goodfish	2,000	23	20	20
Granada	30,000	39	30	33
G. Daly	5,000	00½	.08½	00½
Sisco	9,000	1 30	1 23	1 23
Grandview	3,000	73	00	00
Mandy	400	1.30	1 00	1 00
Hollinger	300	8 00	0 00	0 00
Howey	11,000	1 34	1 27	1 30
Hudson Bay	900	22 25	20 00	22 10
Jack Manion	7,400	14	13½	14
Kirk Hutton	600	00	00	00
Kirk Lake	3,000	1 00	1 43	1 45
Rouyney P	4,300	22	22	02
Laval	1,400	10½	10½	10½
Malartic	6,500	70½	70	70
McDougall	6,000	00	00	00
McIntyre	300	30 00	30 00	30 50
McKinley	600	21½	21½	21
Mining Corp	1,300	8 00	0 10	0 30
Murphy	0,000	00	05	.05
Newbec	14,000	41½	40	40½
Nipissing	100	3 00	3 00	3 00
Noranda	600	62 50	61 75	00 00
Pend Oreille	6,200	13 30	13 73	14 00
Potter Doal	2,500	00	04	04
Premier	100	0 10	2.13	2.13
Ribago	3,000	03½	00½	03½
Sher Gordon	5,800	8 00	8 70	0 70
Stadacona	6,000	14	16	14
St. Anthony	61,200	00	01	05
Sud Basin	10,300	11 70	11 40	11 50
Sylvanite	300	3 30	3 20	3 20
Towagmac	600	0 00	0 35	2.55
Teck Hughes	3,000	8 10	0 00	0 10
Tough Oakes	1,000	00	00	00
T. Yukon	100	12 25	10 25	10 35
Vipond	19,300	1 25	1 22	1 22
W. Hargraves	0,700	0 10	0 00	0 00
New Nickel	3,400	64 00	61 75	41 75
Falconbdge	3,100	16 50	16 10	16 50
Mon Basin	7,000	63	30	63

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The Corporation has no bonds or other funded debt.

The Preferred and Common stocks have equal voting power, share for share. There is no junior issue of stock carrying voting control.

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5 DEATHS

WILLIAMS—E. Y. Williams, formerly of Victoria, on Thursday, February 14, at Edmonton, Alberta. Funeral Sunday, Rev. Dr. Matthews officiating. Interment at Ivy Cemetery.

SMITH—On Thursday, February 14, at his home at Sandringham, Saanich, Thomas, aged fifty-eight years. The deceased was a native of Ireland and had resided in Saanich for four years. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Smith, and two sons, Thomas and Arthur, of Saanichton, and a daughter, Andrew, of Seattle, also a sister, Mrs. J. W. Cleverdon, of Saanichton.

The funeral will take place this afternoon, Saturday, at 2 o'clock, from the chapel of Thos. Ker Thomson, Ltd., Rev. Dr. Matthews officiating. Interment will be made in Ivy Cemetery.

ROBERTS—On Thursday, February 14, at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, Thomas Roberts, aged seventy-two years, of 810 Fort street. He was a native of Devonshire and resident of Victoria for the past twenty-five years. The funeral will take place this afternoon, at 2 p.m., from Thos. Ker Thomson, Ltd., Rev. Dr. Matthews officiating. Interment will be made in Ross Bay Cemetery.

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78 HOUSES FOR SALE

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MODERN 5-ROOMED HOUSE, DALLAS Road and Sussex Street, near beach, car and school, furnace, open fireplace; $2,500, terms. Phone 6634R.

NEARLY NEW, WELL-PLANNED FIVE-roomed bungalow, large lot, Quadra Street, consisting of paneled vestibule, living-room with open fireplace, connected by French doors with paneled dining-room, containing built-in buffet, bright and roomy Dutch kitchen, two bedrooms with large closets, bathroom between, linen cupboard, spacious veranda, full, high cement basement, piped furnace, laundry tubs. Excellent garden. Phone 4793L.

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OAK BAY

FIVE MINUTES' WALK FROM STREET CAR AND CLOSE TO GOLF LINKS AND BEACH

THE HOUSE IS IN FIRST-CLASS CONDITION THROUGHOUT AND CONTAINS.

DOWNSTAIRS

Paneled entrance hall with inlaid oak floor.
Very pretty drawing-room with oak floor, fireplace and lead-latticed windows.
Fine dining-room, paneled in fir, with fireplace and handsome buffet.
Small conservatory off dining-room.
Well-appointed kitchen and pantry, laundry-room off back porch.

UPSTAIRS

One large bedroom, with built-in dresser and large closet.
Second bedroom is also large, with closet.
Glassed-in sleeping porch, with wire screens for Summer.
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BASEMENT

Is cemented, with Chinaman's room or storeroom, and furnace.

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AN UNUSUALLY ATTRACTIVE STUCCO BUNGALOW OF FIVE ROOMS, with two more unfinished upstairs.

Contains entrance hall, spacious living-room with tiled fireplace, very bright dining-room, kitchen with breakfast nook, hardwood floors in hall, living and dining-rooms. Two good bedrooms with clothes closets; bathroom with built-in bath, shower, medicine cupboard, etc. Full cement basement, seven feet high. Hot air furnace, laundry tubs. Garage.

This can be purchased on easy terms

$4800

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A LARGE MODERN HOUSE OF TWELVE rooms, splendidly adapted for a rooming or boarding house and very well situated for the purpose. Reduced for immediate sale, to (on terms) $4200

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UNUSUAL OPPORTUNITY TO SECURE a really good five roomed stucco bungalow on the easiest of terms. Up-to-date in every particular. Best of material and workmanship. $500 cash gives possession, balance arranged (on terms) $4000

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AN ABSENT OWNER wishes to sell immediately at the snap price of $3,250, his five-roomed bungalow situated in good residential neighborhood, served by the Oak Bay car. Full basement, veranda, living-room and dining-room en suite, open fireplace, pass pantry to bright kitchen, three piece bathroom, two bedrooms. All rooms entered from hall. Full-sized lot, nice garage with cement runway. Reasonable terms considered.

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78 HOUSES FOR SALE (Continued)

WATERFRONTAGE

A NEW STUCCO HOME of six rooms, built by an Old Country contractor, every piece of wood for paneling, etc., especially picked for the grain. Large drawing-room has open fireplace, with three large windows overlooking the water, dome ceiling with beams. Splendid dining-room with French doors, open fireplace, domed ceiling. Three large bedrooms. Owner's bedroom has large windows overlooking the water. Three-piece bathroom in white enamel, large kitchen with built-in features. Garden sloping down to the water's edge, with landing stage for boats. Two garages. 1½ miles from centre of city. Exceptional value at only $3,775. Listing No. 132.

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MODERN 4-ROOM BUNGALOW, close street cars. Good garden lot, chickens. Three-piece bathroom, two bedrooms $1250

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$1700 — $200 DOWN—FIVE-ROOMED semi-bungalow, near mile circle, open fire, bath, newly painted, condition as new

$650 — TWO LOTS, 100 x 100, OR would trade as first payment on small house

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OAK BAY HOME SNAPS

FOR SALE—Good six-room house on nice fifty-foot lot, fronting the sea, on Beach Drive. It's a bargain at $3,150, with $1,000 cash

NEW five-room stucco bungalow, with two rooms finished above. Full basement and furnace. Open fireplace. Good grounds, about quarter acre. $4,500, terms.

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FERNWOOD ROAD, near Yates—One of the best homes in this select district. Good entrance hall, living and dining-rooms en suite. Dutch kitchen, pantry, three nice bedrooms, fireplace, hot air furnace with Ruud water heater. Garage, and nice garden with fruit trees. A REAL HOME FOR SOMEONE. Price $4750

FERNWOOD DISTRICT—Real good home, consisting of four rooms down and three up. House is beautifully decorated and all rooms are of convenient size. French doors, hot air furnace, etc. Upstairs rented as a flat at $30 per month and as the taxes are only $70 this is a proposition that will largely help to pay for itself. Ask for further particulars. Price $4000

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FOUL BAY—2 BLOCKS FROM BEACH, close to school and car—Modern, 7 rooms, one bedroom with hot and cold water downstairs, 3 up and bath, basement, garage; furnace, tubs, etc.

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NORTH QUADRA—NEW STUCCO BUNgalow well built, large lot nicely treed (oaks). Home contains living-room, open fireplace, two bedrooms, three-piece bathroom and shower, kitchen, with breakfast nook and built-in features, cement basement (furnace will be installed), laundry tubs, store room. Phone, electric light and city water. Garage. (Terms) $4800

JAMES BAY—MODERN HOUSE converted into two flats. Lower Flat—Has 3 good rooms, kitchen and three-piece bathroom, basement, with pipeless furnace. Upper Flat—Separate entrance, has two large rooms and bathroom. Rents $35 per month. Good garden. Price only (terms) $4100
This is a bargain and won't last long

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MODERN 5-ROOMED BUNGALOW, Fairfield, on terms	$3,800
Six-roomed modern bungalow, Shoal Bay	$3,750
Five-roomed new stucco bungalow, Oak Bay, on terms	$4,500
Six roomed modern bungalow, good location, Oak Bay	$4,750

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OAK BAY—A lovely 5-room stucco bungalow, 2 bedrooms, living and dining-rooms, kitchen and pantry, 3-p bathroom, also shower inlaid bath, cement basement, tubs, furnace. Garage built to suit purchaser. Lane side and back. One minute from street car. Extra opportunity for $3,750. $2,400 mortgage, balance cash. Built for owner, but owing to unforeseen circumstances must sell

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SPECIAL BUNGALOW CONTAINING SIX ROOMS all one floor, three bedrooms, living-room, dining-room, kitchen, pantry, bathroom, separate toilet, cement basement, furnace, nice high lot, close to car line. Price (on terms) $2650

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SIX-ROOMED BUNGALOW IN BEST part of Hollywood District. Full cement basement and furnace. One recently laid on. Cement floor double garage. If desired owner will sell all furniture and fittings, including new gas range. Furniture of the very best. PRICE $4000

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78 HOUSES FOR SALE (Continued)

SPECIAL
OAK BAY, SOUTH OF THE AVENUE

SITUATED on an exceptionally large lot, with south and easterly exposure, this new semi-bungalow of seven rooms shows reception hall with French doors to spacious living-room, dining-room, two splendid bedrooms, tiled bathroom and kitchen with tiled sink. Upstairs there are two well-arranged bedrooms and toilet-room. All main rooms have polished hardwood floors, these, together with full basement, laundry conveniences, hot water heating system and well-laid out grounds, constitute one of the most attractive homes in the district.
PRICE $6,750

5-ROOMED COTTAGE and large glassed-in sleeping porch. Splendid lot, 50x200, with both front and back gardens. Small and tree fruits. Grounds and house in perfect condition. Full concrete basement, furnace. Situated close to Jubilee Hospital. Owner leaving the city.
PRICE $3,500, OR NEAR OFFER

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SIX-ROOM MODERN BUNGALOW containing bright living-room, open fireplace, built-in bookcases, dining-room, beamed and paneled, nice kitchen, two bedrooms, small den or extra bedroom, bathroom, large veranda. All rooms are expensively furnished and complete with linen, cutlery, crockery and bedding, new gas range and coal range in kitchen, cement basement, with furnace. Double garage. Close to school, car and beach. Price, complete $6500

CROSS & CO
Belmont House Opposite P.O.

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ALFRED CARMICHAEL & CO., LTD

FOR SALE
JUST OFF OAK BAY AVENUE
This is Certainly a Gift

WOULD COST $4,800 TO BUILD TODAY. This very attractive 6-roomed semi-bungalow, consisting of reception room with open fireplace, dining-room with built-in features, kitchen and extra room on ground floor, 4 comfortable bedrooms upstairs. The main bedroom is 20 x 14, with open fireplace; 3-piece bathroom. Cemented basement, partitioned off, hot air furnace, garage. Average lot of choice location. Price (Terms Cash down, $700, balance monthly at 8%) $3500

NORTH QUADRA

4-ROOMED COTTAGE, WITH BASEment, reduced from $1,875 to $1,300 for quick sale, lot 50 x 140, several choice fruit trees. This is worthy of your attention. Half cash, balance in one year

B C OALBY & Co., LTD
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$650

WILL MAKE YOU THE PROUD POSSESSOR of a comfortable bungalow of artistic design. This home has four rooms and garage, built-in features, cement basement, and is in a good location. Full price $2000

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FOR SALE, 1344 VICTORIA AVENUE

WE ARE OFFERING FOR SALE this beautiful and well-situated home, the residence of the ex-Premier, Mr J O MacLean, who will shortly be removing his family East.

The house stands on two lots with a frontage of one hundred and twenty feet, the whole being surrounded by beautiful oak trees.

The house accommodation consists of a reception hall with large open granite fireplace and hardwood floor. A fine large living-room, (twenty-four by eighteen), also with a large granite fireplace and hardwood floors. The dining-room is bright and spacious and has attractive fireplace and hardwood floor. A bright kitchen, and a den with open fireplace complete the downstairs rooms. Upstairs are four large, bright and airy bedrooms and a sleeping-porch. Good closets are off each bedroom, and a separate bathroom and toilet.

The house is built on a granite and cement foundation, with a full-sized basement, laundry and furnace. A cement driveway along one side leads to a double garage with cement floor, electric light, and water laid on.

For price and appointment to see over this property phone 2046

FIVE-ROOMED BUNGALOW, CENTRAL LOCATION

$3200

WE HAVE A FIVE-ROOMED MODERN bungalow in first-class condition, full basement, furnace, etc., and a bargain at $3,200, on terms. Phone us for appointment.

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JUST OUTSIDE CITY

NEAT BUNGALOW, stucco finish, with 5 rooms, including living-room, dining-room, 2 bedrooms, kitchen and bathroom, cement basement, furnace, garage, 60-foot lot, convenient to car and school, easy taxes

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NEW BUNGALOW AND ½ ACRE

NICELY SITUATED in Gorge district, new bungalow of 4 rooms with all modern conveniences and full cement basement, garage, fine chicken house for about 60 birds, about 50 young fruit trees, also berries and small fruits, good soil, number of shade trees

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Real Estate and Insurance Agent
Cowichan Station, E&N Rai

$6,000—IDEAL 6-ROOMED MODERN BUNgalow, two lots, garage, fruit trees, glass house, just a beautiful home. Mutual Realty, 416 Sayward Building

78 HOUSES FOR SALE (Continued)

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OAK BAY

WE HAVE COMPLETE LISTINGS OF PROPERTIES FOR SALE IN THIS DESIRABLE DISTRICT

MONTEREY AVENUE

5-ROOM NEW STUCCO BUNGALOW, two bedrooms, furnace, garage. Good garden. $500 cash will handle $4600

FAIRFIELD

NEW SEVEN-ROOMED STUCCO SEMI-BUNGALOW. Four bedrooms, built-in bath and shower. Mahogany finish, special electric fixtures, ready for electric range, hot air furnace, open fireplace. Garage. Very easy terms $6850

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EXCELLENT eight-roomed house, in first-class condition. Good basement and furnace, open fireplace. Large garage, garden, fruit trees. Window shades, electric fixtures, linoleums and extra good combination coal and gas range included. Built by late City Building Inspector for family home, which insures substantial construction and comfort. ONLY $3000

PRETTY BUNGALOW

CONTAINING six rooms, on boulevarded street, half block from seafront. Excellent situation, close to car line and convenient walking distance to centre of city. ONLY $2450

FULLY MODERN SEVEN-ROOMED HOUSE, in A1 condition. High situation off North Quadra. On two lots (Cash $900 and balance as rent) $4000

FAIRFIELD

NEW six-roomed stucco bungalow, hardwood floors, built-in bath, bookcases, etc. Magnificent view, overlooking sea. Terms $5500

MODERN FIVE-ROOMED STUCCO BUNGALOW, in A-1 shape, many built-in features, full basement, furnace and fire. On well located large lot. Garage can be bought, on easy terms, for $4500

DUCHESS STREET — Five-roomed bungalow complete with full basement and furnace. Owner is anxious to sell and will accept (terms) $3000

FIVE-ROOMED BUNGALOW, very conveniently planned, with sufficient floor area to allow large rooms and good hall space, provision for two rooms upstairs. Cement basement with furnace. Price only $2500

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RENT FREE
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6 ROOMS, DIVIDED INTO TWO SUITES. One rented for $30; the other you live rent free. Total Price $1750
Don't keep telling your friends you never had an opportunity, because it's here right now. Oh, yes, I will arrange easy terms

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$200 CASH BUYS 4-roomed bungalow, with toilet (no bath), close in, on car line. PRICE $1100

$400 CASH BUYS large 5-roomed bungalow (walking distance), fireplace in living-room, large lot, all large rooms, high basement, piped for furnace. PRICE $2400

$600 CASH and assume mortgage of $1,500 buys roomy 5-roomed bungalow in Hillside district, close to car line. Fire in living-room; sliding doors to dining-room; basement and garage and fruit trees. PRICE $2300

$100 CASH and balance monthly buys nice cosy 4-roomed bungalow, near car and bus, fireplace in large bright living-room. PRICE $1575

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OAK BAY

8-ROOMED HOUSE IN A-1 CONDITION, at the bargain price of $4750

CONTAINS — Living-room, dining-room, den, kitchen wired for electric range, 4 bedrooms and bathroom, basement, hot-air furnace, large lot and garage

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TWO SPECIALS

$1900—JAMES BAY SNAP. Mortgagee's sale. A builder's opportunity to convert this fine eight-room residence into apartments. Has been newly painted, reshingled, and new plumbing installed. A beautiful lot, about 60 by 211 feet, fruit, etc. An ideal close-in situation. The above price is far less than the mortgage but the mortgagee says, "Let it go." Someone gets a bargain.

$2650—JAMES BAY. Seven rooms, modern four bedrooms, cement basement, furnace, tubs. Easy terms given. Another close-in pick up. Exclusively by

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$1400—CENTRAL PARK — Five-room modern bungalow, open fireplace, two bedrooms, bathroom and pantry

$3000—QUADRA STREET — Modern semi-bungalow, large rooms, two open fireplaces, kitchen, two large bedrooms, bathroom and toilet separate, hot air furnace, laundry trays, cement basement, garage, paved street. All local taxes paid.

$3000—UPPER FAIRFIELD — Modern bungalow, five rooms, two open fireplaces, two bedrooms, full cement basement, furnace; paved street, exceptionally good buy

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SMALL ACREAGE SACRIFICE

5-ROOM NEW, MODERN STUCCO BUNGALOW, with extra bedroom outside, on four acres. High elevation with beautiful views. Very finest growing soil. Houses for approximately 500 birds.

A VERY GOOD BUY, AND OWNER WOULD SELL WITH ONE ACRE AT

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$2750 — ON TERMS — FIVE-ROOM fully furnished bungalow, basement, garage, full lot, high ground, Fernwood

$2500 — EASY TERMS, BUYS THIS nice five-room bungalow, Foul Bay district, cement basement, full lot, garage

$3500 — ON TERMS — THIS LOVELY five-room bungalow, James Bay, with full cement basement and in best condition, inside and out, is worth your attention

W J GILLILAND & CO
1303 Douglas Street Phone 3697

78 HOUSES FOR SALE (Continued)

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EXCEPTIONALLY NICE FAIRFIELD HOME

SITUATED in the best part and close to sea, park and car line. A few of the main features of this home are: Extra large lot, just recently completed, two bathrooms, hot water heated, concrete foundation to the first floor, front vestibule tiled. There are seven lovely rooms. Garage, etc. Price, on terms $8000

OAK BAY DWELLING

AN EIGHT-ROOM DWELLING, commanding a lovely view. This house is unusually well planned. Open fireplaces, basement, furnace and garage. Very good sized lot. Price, on terms, only $5500

VICTORIA WEST HOME BARGAIN

VERY COMFORTABLE and well-constructed brick bungalow, highly situated and having a splendid view of the sea and mountains. Small hall, large living-room, dining-room, bright kitchen, large pantry, three good bedrooms, three-piece bathroom, basement, garage and large attic with sleeping-porch. Lot is 60 x 100. A great bargain for $2650

FERNWOOD DISTRICT

SIX-ROOM BUNGALOW and lot 50 x 130. Modern and has open fireplace. Taxes approximately $45 per annum. Price, on easy terms, only $2200

CLOSE TO THE GORGE

A SIX-ROOM cosy and well-arranged dwelling on a good sized lot. All modern conveniences. Nice location and close to car. Price, on terms $3500

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UNIQUE OPPORTUNITY

TO OBTAIN SEVEN-ROOM, WELL-BUILT, WARM MODERN HOME, IN SELECT PART OF FAIRFIELD, AT

$6000
OR BEST OFFER

IMPRESSIVE entrance hall, 22-ft. living-room with massive open fireplace, splendid dining-room with pretty fireplace and built-in buffet, sunny breakfast nook and pass pantry, commodious kitchen, gas stove and built-in features, big pantry-cooler. Many cupboards throughout. Easy grade stairway to four beautiful bedrooms with many clothes closets; three-piece bathroom. High cement basement, good furnace. House well placed on pretty garden lot. Owner is leaving city and wants immediate action.

VERY CLOSE-IN CITY HOUSE, SEVEN ROOMS, INTERIOR IN FIRST-CLASS CONDITION. OWNER LEAVING CITY. SPECULATING FOR INCREASING VALUES MAKES THIS A SNAP AT

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A FEW YARDS off Douglas Street. A full size garden lot. This house has four bedrooms, large living-room, open fireplace, cheerful dining-room, bright kitchen. Beautifully decorated throughout. Should be sold quick. Needs your thorough inspection to realize its value.

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918 View Street Phone 3036

79 WANTED TO BUY—HOUSES

WANTED TO BUY, DIRECT FROM owner, 6 or 7-roomed semi-bungalow, in Oak Bay, around $3,700. State terms and situation in reply. Box 1673, Colonist.

WANTED — SIX OR SEVEN-ROOMED house, with garage, in good condition, price about $3,600, terms must be moderate. Apply Box 1666, Colonist.

WANTED, FOR CASH BUYER — A house with three bedrooms, absolutely must be in a HIGH SITUATION and very low priced. Another client wants a well-situated bungalow of four or five rooms, with HOT WATER HEAT. Oak Bay preferred. The Royal Trust Company, Real Estate Department, Belmont House, Victoria.

WANTED — LISTINGS — WE HAVE A waiting list of clients for homes in various parts of the city and district. Phone us and we will inspect. Hugh Allan, Ltd., 711 Fort Street, phone 6705-6

80 PROPERTY FOR SALE

LOT, 60 x 120, TRUTCH STREET; ALSO 60 x 120, Union Avenue, off Quadra. For particulars apply owner, 930 Trutch Street or phone 3356Y

MAKE OFFER ON LOT 1, BLOCK 6, Section 62, Victoria District, Plan 1264, corner of Orchard Way and Crescent Drive. Submit to 340 East First Street, Long Beach, Cal.

CHEAP OAK BAY LOT

$600

MONTEREY AVENUE, south of the Avenue, close to car line, size 60 feet street frontage, about 50 feet on back line, depth about 110 feet. Fine high building site.

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THE ROYAL TRUST CO
Real Estate Department
Belmont House Victoria, B.C.

81 PROPERTY WANTED

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A REAL BARGAIN IN ACREAGE

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Sealed tenders will be received by the undersigned up to 4 p.m., Monday, March 4th, 1929, for the supplying of the following:

2,200 lin. ft.	12-in. Cast Iron Pipe
1,500 " "	10-in. " " "
100 " "	8-in. " " "
1,000 " "	6-in. " " "
8,000 " "	4-in. " " "
2,000 " "	30-in. Steel Pipe

Valves and Hydrants.

Specifications and form of tender may be obtained at the office of the City Purchasing Agent, to whom tenders must be addressed and marked "Tender for C. I. Pipe, etc."

A certified cheque for 5% of the amount of tender, made payable to the City Treasurer, must accompany each tender.

The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

B. S. MICHELL,
Purchasing Agent.
City Hall, Victoria, B.C.,
February 2, 1929.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS
NOTICE RE VEHICLE TRAFFIC
VANCOUVER ISLAND HIGHWAYS

Owing to the abnormal weather conditions, with resultant upheaval and settlement of roadbeds, the operators of vehicles are requested to refrain, as far as possible, from unnecessarily using particularly the gravel surfaced and asphaltic roads on Vancouver Island until the frost is entirely out of the ground.

P. PHILIP,
Deputy Minister and Public Works Engineer.
Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B.C., Feb. 14, 1929.

CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA, B.C.

TENDERS—POLICE DEPARTMENT

Sealed tenders will be received by the undersigned up to 4 p.m., Monday, February 25, 1929, for the supplying of one light touring car, three new motorcycles, and thirty-nine policemen's uniform suits, for use of the Police Department. Specifications may be obtained at the office of the Purchasing Agent, to whom all tenders must be addressed and marked on envelope "Police Tender." A marked cheque for 5% of the amount of tender, made payable to the City Treasurer, must accompany each tender. The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

B. S. MICHELL,
Purchasing Agent.
City Hall, Victoria, B.C., February 13, 1929.

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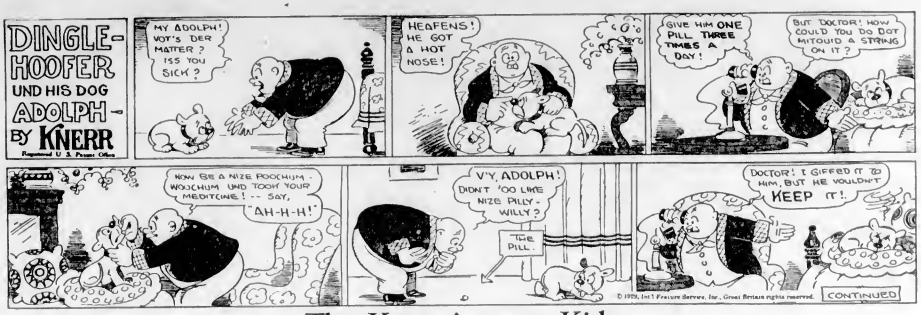
He was a most reluctant witness and counsel had cautioned him several times. Coming to the vital point, counsel said: "Now, answer me carefully. Was the man you helped to get from under the train a total stranger?"

Witness (remembering the warnings): "No! He was only a partial stranger. He had a leg off."

COLONIST DAILY COMIC FEATURE



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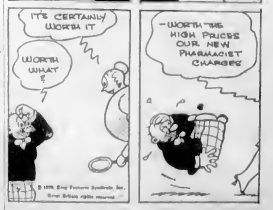

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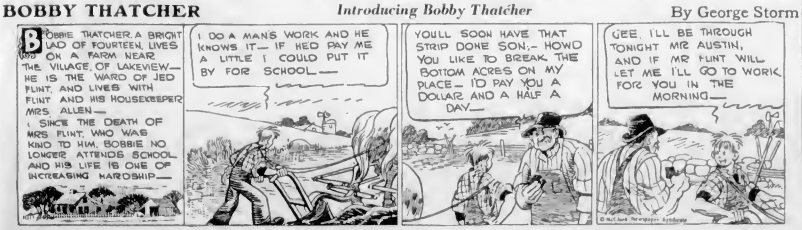
Introducing Bobby Thatcher

By George Storm



Teacher: "Have you heard of Julius Caesar?"
Pupil: "Yes, sir."
"What do you thing he would be doing now if he were alive?"
"Drawing his old age pension, sir."

The sister: "Captain Martin proposes in this letter. I wonder if he really loves me—he's only known me a week."
Her brother: "Oh, then, it's quite possible that he does."

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Norma Shearer
in
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Featurettes
"THE COLLEGIANS"

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Coming Soon: A Thrilling Masterpiece, "SUBMARINE"

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MONTE BLUE
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Also "TARZAN THE MIGHTY"
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TODAY
MATINEE AND NIGHT
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Vancouver Foreshore

VANCOUVER, Feb. 15.—The civic delegation which visited Victoria on foreshore affairs reports that satisfactory arrangements have been made with the Canadian Pacific Railway, whereby the latter relinquishes foreshore rights in front of its yards and in return is granted clear title to its yard property. The Government, however, acknowledges that lessees of C.P.R. property on the creek shores shall retain the leases of foreshore fronting the properties.

Traveler (at country railway station): "Do the fast trains ever stop here?"

Porter: "Yes, we had a smash-up here once."

ROYAL 1 Night Only
Thursday, February 21
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THE WORLD-FAMOUS PRIMA DONNA
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The Concert Event of the Season
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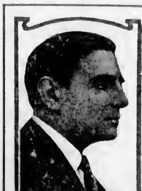

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At The Playhouses

COLISEUM THEATRE Carroll Nye, who plays opposite Belle Bennett with Holmes Herbert in Columbia's "The Sporting Age," showing for the last time today at the Coliseum Theatre, was reporting on the Los Angeles Times in the daytime and appearing in the cast of "White Collars" nights when he got an opportunity to play juvenile lead in "Classified." Nye's rise in pictures has been rapid. He has to his ever-growing list of successes, prominent roles in "Her Honor the Governor," Kosher Kitty Kelly" and "Black Diamond."

DOMINION THEATRE Charles "Buddy" Rogers is an accomplished piano player. Proof of this fact is given in Anne Nichols' "Abie's Irish Rose" picturized by Paramount, in which Rogers essays the role of Abie. By virtue of the production being equipped with Paramount Quality Sound, Rogers may be heard as well as seen playing the piano in the picture. Victor Fleming, termed the "hit" director of Hollywood, directed this picture under the personal supervision of the author-producer, Anne Nichols. "Abie's Irish Rose" is showing for the last time today at the Dominion Theatre.

CAPITOL THEATRE Enter the villain, Lowell Sherman, whose stage and screen roles have given him all degrees of villainous cunning and suavity. He is seen as the "irate husband" in a badger game racket which forms the basic theme for "A Lady of Chance," Norma Shearer's new Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer starring vehicle, now playing at the Capitol Theatre. The stage specialties this week include such popular artists as Coster and Hewlett, late of the Orpheum circuit, and a return engagement of Wally Pullman and his old banjo.

PLAYHOUSE THEATRE Tonight will be the last chance for patrons of the Playhouse Theatre to see the Fox film "Me, Gangster," which will end its run there. "Me, Gangster," was adapted from Charles Francis Coe's story of the same name and brought to the screen by Raoul Walsh, director of "What Price Glory" fame. Don Terry, who never before had faced a motion picture camera, plays the lead and acquits himself with great credit.

COLUMBIA THEATRE Before making "Across the Atlantic," the Warner Bros.' flying feature film, now showing at the Columbia Theatre, Monte Blue, the star, went East and on the way visited the great flying fields of the country. He has done all the exciting stunts in "Across the Atlantic" personally, absolutely refusing the aid of doubles.

AMUSEMENTS

Capitol—Norma Shearer in "A Lady of Chance."
Coliseum—"The Sporting Age," starring Belle Bennett.
Columbia — Monte Blue in "Across the Atlantic."
Dominion—"Abie's Irish Rose," featuring Nancy Carroll.
Playhouse—Don Terry in "Me, Gangster."

The Stage

Royal—"Polly."

Geraldine Farrar Sings at Royal on Thursday, Feb. 21

Miss Farrar's attitude toward her own work is admirably duplicated by her attitude toward fellow artists. She is always curious, always enthusiastic to learn what other musicians with talent and brains are doing—the first to commend a distinctive accomplishment, and to greet with open arms new ideas. Life seems to remain for her what it always is for youth, whether the circumstances be grave or gay, viz., a struggle, a victory and a romp. Those who have seen her tired or depressed are so few that they have never been found. She loves her work, her fight, her daily climb a little higher up the ladder of achievement. She loves the public, which reciprocates this sentiment on the part of one of its own. Geraldine Farrar will be at the Royal Victoria Theatre for one night only, Thursday, February 21.

Tito Schipa, Lyric Tenor, at Royal on Friday, March 1

The "golden voice" of Tito Schipa, lyric tenor, will be heard at the Royal Victoria on Friday, March 1, 8:30 p.m., under the auspices of the Ladies' Musical Club. Always, even from babyhood, the life of Schipa has been one of song. Schipa's training as a singer was thorough. Five years the youth studied with Gerunda, the famous maestro of bel canto. A year of further preparation followed with Emilio Piccoli at Milan, and Schipa made a triumphant debut in "Traviata." Here is an interesting coincidence. The famous tenor on his first appearance in Milan sang with Madame Galli-Curci at the Dal Verme Theatre; six years later, on his splendid debut at the Chicago Opera he sang with the same famous diva. Meanwhile, he had passed from one success to another. In all America, and in all the world of music, seldom has anyone achieved to the place in art accorded Tito Schipa. In every concert a threefold magnet draws his multitude of hearers to him; his is a voice phenomenally beautiful, perfectly trained, to him is given equally the rare ability to portray the purely lyric and the vividly dramatic, his personality is sympathetically appealing and magnetic.

Co-Optimists Meet Hearty Approval at Crystal Garden

An enthusiastic reception was given the Co-optimist Comedy Company's presentation of two rollicking farce comedies at the Crystal Garden last night. The first of the two delightful plays produced was "A Duet," by the celebrated author, Conan Doyle. The production of this farce was very admirably done, the two players, Miss Betty Jennings and Mr. Noel Jones, making the most of the opportunities for subtle humor provided by the playwright. The play presents a newly wedded husband expounding to his young wife his own ideas of how married people should live. When he grows too domineering for the tolerance of his wife, the latter adroitly puts him in his place. The result is a farce of sparkling character which entirely delighted last night's audience. "A Duet" was followed by a splendid comic drama by Charles Lee, entitled "Mr. Sampson." The popularity of the Co-optimists grows with each of their performances and last night's productions will unquestionably go a long way toward enhancing the fine reputation of the versatile company.

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CASE FOR RURAL WARDS EXAMINED

Witness States That Demand for Secession Was Not Hastily-Arrived-At Decision

The case for the farmers of the outer wards of Saanich was closely examined when the reasons for their appeal for disincorporation were told before Judge P. S. Lampman in the Court House yesterday.

Councillor L. C. Hagan, representative of Ward Six, examined by Mr. C. H. O'Halloran, said the question of reassessment had been discussed in Saanich before the Greenwood assessment had been authorized by the council. At the time he had voted against it, having seen the effect of what had taken place a few years previously, when the values of the inner wards had dropped and those of the outer wards had risen. "I felt," said Mr. Hagan, "that there had been a movement somewhere at headquarters to impose upon the outer wards."

In the matter of reverted lands, continued the witness, the accumulations in the year 1925 had been very noticeable. Delinquencies had reached some $200,000, and Saanich would have been faced with a crisis had it not been for the farmers. In answer to a question from Mr. O'Halloran, the witness stated that the burden of tax payment for the outer wards would be increased if lands were allowed to revert in the inner wards.

RIGHT-OF-WAY PURCHASE

In regard to the purchase of the B.C. Electric right-of-way, which runs through Wards Four, Five and Six, Mr. Hagan said that the owners had accepted an offer of $1,000 from the municipality, plus the back taxes, which brought the price to some $4,000. The interested wards were charged for this amount.

Questioned by Mr. O'Halloran as to whether there was any truth in the implication that many of the signatories of the disincorporation petition did not fully understand what they were asking for, Mr. Hagan stoutly denied that this was the case. The farmers, he said, were loud in their enthusiasm and the petition was exactly representative of the predominant feeling of the outer wards, feeling as they did that, as the urban population grew, the voice of the farmer would not be heard on the Saanich Council. Ward Three, he said, was distinctly sympathetic, and he was of the opinion that the rural population of Ward One were the same.

ACTION NOT HASTY

This demand for secession, Mr. Hagan continued, had not been hastily arrived at. It had been talked of and hoped for for many years, and he was of the opinion that it would also benefit the inner wards.

Cross-examined by Mr. E. L. Tait, the witness agreed that the main trouble of the farmer was that his taxation was too heavy. Mr. Tait suggested that it was a logical conclusion, therefore, that this was an economic municipal condition, where neither the inner nor the outer wards were to blame. Taxation had to be based on the actual value of the lands and improvements. If, after all these years, argued counsel for the Saanich Council, a near figure for actual value throughout Saanich had been established, and assuming that it was possible to exclude the inner wards from the municipality, the same system of taxation would have to continue with the same results.

The hearing will be resumed at 11 o'clock on Monday morning, when Dr. Francis and Mr. Tanner will give evidence. Representatives from Ward Three will occupy the stand in the afternoon.

EVANGELIST BLAMED FOR SON'S SUICIDE

LIMA, Ohio, Feb. 15.—Fred Conrad, twenty-seven, today entered the last week of life allotted him if he continues his hunger strike, now in its twenty-third day, aimed at "driving the devil" from his father, George Conrad, who stands at his bedside, begging his son for hours, to take food in the hope of saving his life.

Conrad's father blamed Rev. Ray Dodson, evangelist, for his son's fast. He has despaired of inducing his son to eat, and declared he believed the minister the only person capable of obtaining his consent to take food. Conrad weighs 145 pounds, fifty-five pounds less than he weighed when he took up the fast. Physicians have given him not more than a week to live, if he continues.

Too many cushions at the bottom may account for the room at the top.

Radio Broadcastings

By Courtesy of Radio Doings

Saturday's Programme

CFCT, Victoria, B.C. (476.9m)—8 a.m., The morning market quotations. 6 p.m., The closing market quotes. 6:30, The Sunset Sextette, dance orchestra of the Sunset Broadcasters, will entertain radio fans with a programme of the latest dance music, introducing the piano-accordion. 7:30, "What's Doing in Town", official weather report, West Coast Information Service, the correct time. 9:30, The Empress Hotel Orchestra. 11, The Empress Hotel Orchestra in a second programme of dance numbers.

NBC, National Broadcasting Company— [illegible]

KGW, Portland, Ore. [illegible]

KOA, Denver, Colo. [illegible]

ABC, American Broadcasting Company [illegible]

...8, American Artistic Ensemble. 8-9, Vic Meyers' orchestra. 9-8, American Salon orchestra. 9-10:30, The Troubadours. 9:30-9 Reverie hour. 9 p.m.-12 midnight, Dance programme (B.C.)

KFI, Los Angeles, Cal. (468.5m; 640k)—3 p.m., Ruth Haddock, contralto. 6, Collegiate Chorus. 6, Glen Edmond and his Collegians. 8, Organ recital. 5:30, N.B.C. 8, General Electric programme. 7, Lucky Strike hour. 8, Bank programme. 9, Packard Concert Orchestra. 10, KFI Symphonette. 11, KFI Midnight Frolic.

KGO, Oakland, Cal. (379.5m; 790k)—6-7 p.m., General Electric programme. 7-8 Lucky Strike hour. 8-8:15, Sports review. 8:15-9, Studio programme. 9-10, Golden Legends. 10 p.m.-12 midnight, The New Ole Show.

KOMO, Seattle, Wash. (325.9m; 920k)—8 a.m., Shell Happy Time. 9, Organ recital. 9:35, Inspirational. 10, Y.M.C.A. health exercises. 10:15, "What to Prepare for Dinner". 10:30, Margaret Gray, pianist. 10:45, "Jos Bora". 11, Trio. 12 noon, Sheba Marshall, Fred Lynch, tenor. 12:15 p.m., Orratore "Harmonists." 1:30, Quota. [illegible]

KOL, Seattle, Wash. [illegible]

KFRC, San Francisco, Cal. [illegible]

KPO, San Francisco, Cal. [illegible]

KNX, Los Angeles, Cal. [illegible]

Sunday's Programme

CFCT, Victoria, B.C. (476.9m)—7:30 p.m., The correct time. West Coast Information Service. [illegible]

NBC, National Broadcasting Company— [illegible]

CNRV, Winnipeg, Man. [illegible]

ABC, American Broadcasting Company [illegible]

KJR, Seattle, Wash. [illegible]

KFRC, San Francisco, Cal. [illegible]

KFI, Los Angeles, Cal. [illegible]

KTAB, Oakland, Cal. [illegible]

KNX, Los Angeles, Cal. [illegible]

KPO, San Francisco, Cal. [illegible]

KOA, Denver, Colo. [illegible]

KOMO, Seattle, Wash. [illegible]

...to 6:30 p.m., Edison programme. B.B.C. 6:30-7:30, Family party. 7:30-8, The Empire Builders. 8-9, Shell Symphonists. 9-9:30, Firestone programme. 9:30-10, "Plantation Echoes." 10-11, Boys and Collegians.

KFI, Los Angeles (468.5m; 640k)—4 p.m., Spanish lessons. 6, Uncle Don. 3:30, Senator George W. Cartwright. 6, Edison programme. 6:30, B.B.C. programme. 7:00, The Empire Builders. 8, Shell Symphonists. 9, Voice of Firestone. 9:30, Trio. 10, Concert Orchestra.

KNX, Los Angeles (285.5m; 1,050k)—6 to 3:30 p.m., Courtesy programme. 2:30-4, Musical programme. 5-5:45, Chet Mittendorf. 6-6:30, Organ recital. 6:30-7, String quintette. 7-7:30, Feature programme. 7:30-8, One-act plays. 8-8:30, Tom Brenneman and Tom. 8:30-9, Feature programme. 9-10, Courtesy programme. 10-12 midnight, Dance orchestra. 12-1 a.m., Dance hour.

KOMO, Seattle (325.9m; 920k)—8 a.m., Shell Happy Time. 9, Organ recital. 9:35, Inspirational services. 10, Health Exercises. 10:10, "What to Prepare for Dinner." 10:30, N.B.C. 11:30, Meat talk. 11:45, Joy Bora. 12:13 p.m., Totem Orrators. 1:30, Quintette. 2:30, duets. 3:45, Totem Orrators. Joy Boys. 4, Orchestra. 5, Kiddies' programme. 5, Edison transcontinental programme. 6:30, General Motors family party. 7:30, Empire Builders. 8, Shell Symphonists. 9, Voice of Firestone. 9:30, Son-A-Tone broadcast. 10, Orchestra. 10:30, Something About Everything." 10:35, Orchestra. 11, Theatre frolic. 12:15-12:30, Zita Dillon, James Heresy.

KGO, Oakland, Cal. (379.5m; 790k)—4 to 3 p.m., Concert Orchestra. 6:30, KGO Kiddies' Klub. 6-6:30, Edison programme. 6:30-7:30, General Motors family party. 7:30-8, The Empire Builders. 8-8:30, N.B.C. programme. 9:30-10:30, General Electric programme. 10:30-10:45, Alaskan news flashes.

Monday's Programme

CFCT, Victoria, B.C. (475.9m)—8 a.m. The morning market quotations. 6 p.m. The closing market quotes. [illegible] ...(Mozart). Alla Polacca de la Serenade (Beethoven), a suite of four songs "The Magic Song" (Meyer-Helmund), "The Dew is Sparkling" (Rubenstein), "Every Morning I Send Thee Violets" (Meyer-Helmund) and "On Wings of Song" (Mendelssohn). "Marche Militaire" (Schubert). 7:30, What's Doing in Town, official weather report. Speedwriting Special. West Coast Information Service, the correct time. 7:00, Empress Hotel Orchestra.

NBC, National Broadcasting Company—10:30-11:30, Woman's Magazine of the Air. 6-6:30, Edison programme (transcontinental). 6:30-7:30, General Motors Family Party (transcontinental). 7:30-8, "The Empire Builders" (transcontinental). 8-9, Rudy Seiger's Shell Symphonists. 9-9:30, "Voice of Firestone." 9:30-10, Plantation Echoes. 10-11, Slumber hour.

KOA, Denver, Colo. (361.2m; 830k)—3 to 6:30 p.m., Engineers Band. 6:30, N.B.C. programme. 6-6:30, Biscuit programme. 6:30-7:30, B.B.C. programme. 7:30-8, The Empire Builders. 8:00-9, Concert Orchestra. 9-9:30, N.B.C. programme. 9:00-10.

...programme from the Fort Garry Hotel. 11 p.m., Midnight Revue from the stage of the Capitol Theatre, presenting Earle Bill and his Capitolians.

CNRC, Calgary, Alberta (434.8m)—8:30 p.m. (Mountain Time). Studio programme by Mrs. A. S. McKee, soprano.

KJR, Seattle (American Broadcasting Co.) (309.1m; 970k)—7:8 a.m., Vim, Vigor and Vitality. 8-9, Golden Hour Orchestra. 9-9:30, Better Homes programme. 9:30-9:45, Studio programme. 9:45-10, Morning Devotional Service. 10-10:30, Down Town with the Revellers. 10:30-10:45, Beir Coltura. 10:45-11, Down Town with the Revellers. 11-12 noon, American Revellers. 12:15-12:30, Novelty programme. 12:30-1:30, American Salon Orchestra. 1:30-2, Song recital. 2-3, The Harmonists. 3-4, American Salon Orchestra. 4-5, The Melodians. 5-5:30, Novelty Studio programme. 5:30-6, Popular Recording Orchestra. 6:30-7, Vitaphone Jubilee. 7-7:30, Berman Bon's Orchestra. 7:30-8, Stringed Trio. 8-9, "Hour on Broadway". 9-9:30, Woodwind Ensemble. 9:30-10, "Dance Time". 10-11, Musical Gems. 11-12 midnight, Golden Gate Gypsies.

KPO, San Francisco (440.9m; 680k)—2:30-2:45, Secrets for Women Only. 2:45-3:45, Aeolian Trio. 3-4:45, Children's hour. 4:45-5, Book Review. 5-5:30, Edison programme, N.B.C. 6:30-7:30, General Motors programme. 7:30-8, The Empire Builders. 8-9, Shell Symphonists. 9-9:30, Voice of Firestone. 9:30-10, Tommy Monroe and Bob Allen. 10-12 midnight, Variety hour.

KOL, Seattle, Wash. (236.1m; 1,270k)—3 to 6 p.m., Matinee melodies. 3-4, Organ concert. 4-4:30, Twilight time. 5-6, Service hour. 6-6:10, American Institute of Banking. 6:10-6:30, Dinner hour music. 6:30-7, Pacific Trade programme. 7-7:30, "Thirty Minutes of Sunshine." 7:30-8, Special programme. 8-8:15, Book chat. 8:15-9, Musical miniatures. 9-9:15, Amos 'n' Andy. 9:15-9:30, Ukulele ditties. 9:30-10, Studio programme. 10-12, Dance Band.

KFRC, San Francisco (451.5m; 610k)—3 to 4 p.m., Concert orchestra. 4-4:30, Aviation talk. 4:40-5:30, Mac and his gang. 5:30-6, Children's hour. 6-6:30, Organ recital. 6:30-7, Studio programme. 7-7:30, Mr. Kansas and his Boys. 7:30-8, Ceciliane. 8-10, Blue Monday Jamboree. 10-10:10, Amos 'n' Andy. 10:10-11:10, Mark Hopkins Orchestra. 11:10-12:10 a.m., Jungletown Orchestra.

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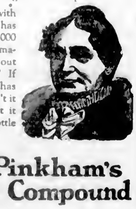

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